

The Bethel News.

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BETHEL, MAINE, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1901.

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THE NEWS ABOUT TOWN

ITEMS OF INTEREST PICKED UP BY THE NEWS MAN.

Dog-days.
Have you been fishing?
Old Home Week begins next Saturday.

Camp-meeting at Poland the last week in August.
Universalist Fair and supper at the Chapel to-morrow.

The Bethel Orchestra has two engagements this week.
Miss Mabel Ricker of West Paris is visiting at H. C. Andrews'.

The green apple and the small boy have begun their annual wrangle.
Miss Alice Lovejoy of Rockland, is visiting friends and relatives in town.

Harry Mason is in town visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason.

The management of Odeon Hall passed into the hands of Fred Merrill, Aug. 1.

Thomas LaRue, Clifford Merrill, and Harry Hutchinson were in Andover, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Park and Muriel returned home from Peaks Island Thursday.

Miss Lillian Grover of Brockton, Mass., returned to her work in that city last Monday.

L. A. Hall, who received a severe injury a few weeks ago, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Magrath of Boston were guests at Mr. F. B. Greene's last Sunday.

Mr. H. F. Webb of the H. F. Webb Co. was in town last week in the interest of his company.

Miss Maude H. Chute returned home Saturday, after a prolonged visit in Bridgton and other towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Harriman of No. Lovell have been visiting Mrs. Harriman's mother, Mrs. Allen, at the Chute House.

Miss Maria Hastings of Auburn, is spending her vacation at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. St. John Hastings.

F. H. Young and W. H. Young were at Chapman brook on a fishing expedition, last Thursday, and report a good catch.

Rufus Skillings, who has been threatened with typhoid fever, is very much improved in health, and will soon be about again.

Mr. F. A. Schultz and nephew Edwin of Portland have returned to Bethel, after spending several days in camp near Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. K. Hastings of East Bethel, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a little son, at their home last Wednesday, July 31.

Claude N. Mills of Portland, who has been spending a week at the home of his father in West Bethel, was visiting friends in the village last Thursday.

A great improvement has been made in the appearance of the dwelling houses at the Steam Mill. The buildings have been righted up and given a coat of paint.

The Old Maids of Bethel will meet in solemn conclave at Odeon Hall, to-night, to discuss ways and means of capturing husbands. To be forewarned is to be forearmed.

The 35th National Encampment, G. A. R., will be held at Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 9 to 14. The excursion of the Maine division will leave Portland Sept. 5, at 8:50 a. m. Several Bethel people are contemplating the trip.

Howard Wiley, who has been in the employ of the Boston Elevated Railroad Co. for the past three years, has resigned his position with that company to accept one as conductor with the Pullman Palace Car Co. of Chicago, and is at present running from Boston.

Ira W. Bean is canvassing the town with the Twentieth Century Encyclopedia of Practical Information, by Chas. Morris L.L.D. This is an exceptionally good work by Mr. Morris, and many of our citizens are availing themselves of the opportunity of securing a good work.

W. E. Abbott of Boston spent Sunday in town.

Miss Joan Stearns is visiting in Boston this week.

H. C. Barker is quite ill at his home on High St.

Geo. E. King spent Sunday with his family in town.

Edw. King made a business trip to Berlin, Saturday.

Miss Agnes Barton has returned from a visit in Hanover.

H. B. Clough of Gorham, N. H., visited his mother, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Newell are guests at Dea. Chapman's.

Services were resumed at the Universalist church, last Sabbath.

Miss May Wiley returned from a visit in Portland, Saturday night.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Chandler Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Margaret Ostrander of Boston is visiting at Mrs. E. J. Philbrook's.

Miss Grace Dixon of Augusta, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. L. T. Barker.

Mr. Will Sturdivant of North Fryeburg, visited in town over Sunday.

Wilfred Bowler started on a business trip to Upper Coos towns, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Sumner.

Mrs. Matilda Cleveland of Lewiston is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. W. Grover.

The Ladies' Club will meet in Garland Chapel Thursday p. m., at the usual hour.

Mrs. Cora Staples and daughter, and Miss Eva Bird visited friends in our village last week.

Miss Ruth Bickford of Laconia, N. H., is visiting her cousins, the Misses Alice and Cleo Russell.

S. Bamber of Boston, and a student of Harvard College, are guests of E. C. Vandenbergkroven.

Mr. Henry Merrill of Ticonderoga, N. Y., a native of Bethel, visited relatives in the village Thursday.

Mrs. T. F. Hastings and nephew, Warren Hastings of Lancaster, N. H., were at Merrymeeting Park, Monday.

John L. Dyer, assistant principal of Gould's Academy last year, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Grover.

Mrs. Lewis and Miss Eleanor and Miss Alice Chamberlain with other guests, took a trip to the Lakes Monday.

Mrs. F. E. Needham and daughter, Miss Clara May of Portland, are visiting Mrs. Needham's mother, Mrs. O. F. Twitchell.

Jameson Finney came up from Norway, Saturday afternoon, and on Sunday accompanied D. H. Mason on a trip to the summit of Mt. Washington.

Miss Flossie Hastings of Auburn, Mr. Clarence Howe of Waltham, Mass., and Mr. Warren Hastings of Lancaster, N. H., are spending the week at Idleywilde.

23rd Regiment Reunion.
The 23rd Maine Regiment Association will meet at Bethel on Thursday, Aug. 29. One fare for the round trip on the railroads. Tickets good to return Friday the 30th.

All veterans are requested to meet at the railroad station on arrival of the 10:40 train, where they will be met by a squad from Brown Post G. A. R., and the Bethel Drum Corps, and march to Odeon Hall.

Program in full, will be given next week.

For Sale.
I have a second hand Sterling Bicycle which I will sell cheap for cash.
H. C. Rowe, Bethel.

Burdock Blood Bitters gives clear head, an active brain, a strong, vigorous body—makes him fit for the battle of life.

Notice.
Notice is hereby given that no money order business will be transacted at the Bethel Post Office after 7:30 p. m.

J. C. BILLINGS.

CANNING SEASON

Prospects Are Brighter Than Ever.

The H. F. Webb Co. Making Many Improvements on Factory.

The season for the corn canning business is drawing near, and it is thought that the corn factory will be in operation by the last week in this month.

The H. F. Webb Co. is making many improvements on the old shop. Already a carload of new machinery has arrived and is being put up.

The retorts have all been taken out of the old bath-room, and put into the main building. A new engine is soon to arrive, and also a sealing machine which will take the place of the old hand process of sealing the cans of corn as they come from the cookers.

All the interior walls are to be whitewashed, and the machinery painted.

The corn-cobs will be taken away every day, during the season, doing away with the foul odor that has heretofore been so prevalent at the factory.

Corn is reported to be in excellent condition, and our farmers will, doubtless, realize a good, round sum from their crop this year.

Mr. F. B. Greene, who is in charge of the extensive repairs being made, can well be congratulated on the many changes that are being wrought under his direction, and Bethel may rejoice in the fact that they are to have one of the neatest canning factories in Maine.

AMUSEMENTS.

OLD MAIDS' CONVENTION.

Prof. Pinkerton will be present at the Old Maids' Convention to be held in Odeon Hall this evening. He wishes to inform the public that his confidence in the working of his Wonderful Electric Trans-former is such that he will be pleased to accommodate the general public after the spinsters in Convention are transmogrified. Come and witness its workings, and reap the benefit of the result of years of study and experiment.

To-night—Odeon Hall—8 o'clock.

UNIVERSALIST FAIR.

The annual Fair of the Universalist Society will be held at their Chapel, to-morrow afternoon, in the form of a Wedding Anniversary display, or rather displays, as each booth will represent one of the great anniversaries of wedded existence, beginning with the honeymoon. Come. Bring your pocketbook, and we will endeavor to induce you to leave at least a portion of its contents in lieu of some of the dainty and choice articles for sale. Admission free. Supper, 6 to 8 o'clock, 25 cents.

A COUNTRY MERCHANT.

The attraction of the season will be Charles Cowles in "A Country Merchant," Aug 9th. This is a play which has received endorsement throughout the country during the past three seasons and which is a refreshing type of stage entertainments such as the lovers of wholesome amusements find to their special liking. The story related is one of absorbing interest, and the dramatic action while well sustained, affords a wide scope for fun making and the introduction of specialties. Mr. Cowles himself, is seen to advantage in a role eminently adapted to his original conception of a genuine old type of countryman. As the genial, quick witted, wholesomely postmaster and general store keeper, he portrays a picture of human nature, that finds a responsive echo in the hearts of all theatre-goers. Mr. Cowles will be aided by a dozen or more exceedingly clever players, singers and dancers. The following is a short outline of the plot:—Eben Baxter's son, Tom, had years before gone South, and became a trusted employee of John Loring, once neighbor and friend of Eben Baxter. It is Christmas eve, and the son as well as Loring,

are expected at Baxter's home. They come, and with them Loring's daughter, a bright-eyed southern lass. Tom is accused of forgery and although Mr. Loring keeps the nature of the charge from him, he breaks off the engagement between his daughter and the young man, and soon dies from a broken heart. Tom goes West and while he is absent, his innocence is proven, and he comes home to be restored to his lost love, and to take his right place in the family circle, which forms a pretty climax. This company carries a band and orchestra. See the funny band parade. Attend the free concert at 7:30 p. m. Seats now on sale at Wiley's Drug Store.

OBITUARY.

REV. DANIEL W. HARDY.
Many have expressed the wish that there should find place in these columns some tribute to the memory of the Rev. Daniel W. Hardy, for several years the faithful and loved pastor of the Congregational church in this village. And it is, perhaps fitting that it should come from one who not only had the privilege of most intimate association with himself and his family, during their life here, but who had loved and revered him as the pastor, the close friend and counselor of her girlhood days.

The news of his death has brought a deep sense of sorrow to the whole community. Those who gratefully recall the pleasure of meeting Mr. Hardy when he came, two years ago, to be present at the celebration of the Church Centennial, remember that the years of his absence seemed to have touched him so lightly as to have left no trace of their passing. His strong, vigorous manhood then gave promise of many more years of earthly service and enjoyment.

Mr. Hardy brought to the ministry an unusual equipment. To the training of the college and theological school was added the widening experience of four years' service as army surgeon during the Civil war, and a later business career in the West. With the characteristics of the clergyman he had something of the bonhomie and camaraderie of the man of the world. This combination of traits gave to him a many-sidedness which not only greatly increased the charm of his personality, but also his ability to reach and touch men.

He was one of nature's noblemen, a man who "bore without abuse," "The grand old name of gentleman." He was always courteous, always charitable, a ways Christian. Calm, self-poised and safely conservative, he yet had the ready responsiveness of a warmly sympathetic nature. He worked with a clear comprehension of the truth which is in this age the dominant inspiration of Christian activity, that the best service toward God is service to man. Religious feeling was daily translated by him into helpful words and deeds.

During his stay here, he won the affection and esteem of all who knew him, and his years of service have left no uncertain impress upon us.

All hearts go out now in tender sympathy to his wife and sons in their great sorrow, a sorrow whose inestimable consolation must be in having so closely shared his rich, full, purposeful life.

M. C. H.

Bowdoin College Announcements.

Notice is hereby given that the first term of the year 1901-02 will begin on Thursday, September 26, 1901, instead of September 17 as announced in the last annual catalogue.

The Fall examinations for admission to college will be held in Brunswick on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, September 23, 24, and 25.

Advertised Letters.

Letters for the following named parties may be found at the post office:
Louis H. Beaulieu.
J. C. BILLINGS, P. M.

AT ITS ZENITH!

August Days Are Filling Bethel Hotels.

The Lovejoy Has Many Guests.—It Is the Best Season for Years.

It may now be said that the season is at its very height, and the hotels in this vicinity are well filled.

Every day witnesses many social events, and life here in Bethel now may be termed one of rest and recreation.

Hayrack rides, picnic parties, and excursions to the mountains are the daily program of our many summer visitors.

The Lovejoy is enjoying a thriving business this season,—the best in fact, for several years. Mr. Lovejoy is to make extensive improvements in and about the buildings this year and next, a description of which will be given later.

Last Sunday was an especially busy day for the Lovejoy, many Portland people availing themselves of the opportunity afforded by the Sunday excursion. The following menu was served:

Tomato Soup	Vermorel Soup
Sweet Pickles	Cucumber Pickles
Tomato Ketchup	Olive Oil
	Worcestershire Sauce
	Baked Cod
Penobscot Salmon, Boiled, with Egg Sauce	
Spring Chicken	Spinach and Pork
Beef	Lamb
Spanish Putts, Lemon Sauce	Pork
	Veal
	Curry of Lamb, and Rice
Celery	Lettuce
New Potatoes	Radishes
Beets	New Squash
Indian Pudding, Hard Sauce	New Turnip
Apple Pie	Green Peas
Custard Pie	
Blueberry Pie	
Raspberry Pie	
Coffee	
Banana Ice Cream with Cake	
	Cheese

ARRIVALS AT THE LOVEJOY.

Rev. Arthur Varley, Bethel.
Mr. O. R. Bean, New York.
Mr. C. B. Keesley, Boston.
Mr. W. B. Clark, Pittsfield, Mass.
Mrs. B. W. Fenner, So. Orange, N. J.
Mr. R. D. F. Hall, Boston.
Mrs. J. Reed Whipple and three servants, Youngs Hotel also Hotel Touraine, Boston.
Mr. Chas. F. Kellogg, Philadelphia.
Mrs. Chas. F. Kellogg, Philadelphia.
A. M. McGregor, Boston.
Lieut. Geo. R. D. McGregor, U. S. A.
Miss Charles McGregor, Boston.
Mrs. A. M. McGregor, Boston.
A. M. McGregor, Jr., Boston.
Miss Hitchcock, Malden, Mass.
Mr. P. N. Blanchard, Rochester, N. Y.
Mrs. P. N. Blanchard, Rochester, N. Y.
Miss Mamie Lynch, Bath.
Mr. Gilman Chapman, Bethel.
Mr. F. S. Sullivan, Cambridge, Mass.
Mrs. F. S. Sullivan, Cambridge, Mass.
John M. Philbrook, Bethel.
T. S. Barnes, Portland.
W. L. Harrington, Boston.
L. T. Cook, Brooklyn, N. Y.
F. J. Driscoll, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Rad McCormick, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Miss Alice Lovejoy, Rockland.
Mr. A. P. Lovejoy, Rockland.
C. Blake, Portland.
Chas. S. Morton, Boston.
Mrs. M. A. Morton, Boston.
Miss Ethel Williams, Boston.
Miss Della Currier, Boston.
W. G. Morton, Bryant's Pond.
Miss Lizzie Stevens, Bryant's Pond.
Harry Dutton, Medford, Mass.
Mrs. Harry Dutton, Medford, Mass.
Miss Mamie Dutton, Medford, Mass.
Mrs. O. W. Fernald, Berlin, N. H.
Miss Faye Fernald, Berlin, N. H.
Mr. Seam Bamber, Boston.
Miss Harriet Learned, Andover.
Miss M. E. MacAdam, Nashua.
Master Ivory L. Dunn, Mass.
Willard Gorton, New York.
G. Paul Smith, New York.
R. R. Moxley, Barton, Vt.
Geo. Moxley, Barton, Vt.
F. O. Williams, Rumford Falls.
Mrs. F. O. Williams, Rumford Falls.
Mrs. Rosa Strauss, New York.
Miss Nellie Strauss, New York.
Mrs. G. W. Wolf, New York.
Miss Ida Wolf, New York.
P. B. Cobb, Boston.
Dr. G. Osgood, Rockland, Mass.
Mrs. G. Osgood, Rockland, Mass.
Prof. Wm. R. Chapman, New York.
Mrs. Wm. R. Chapman, New York.
P. H. Case, Newport, R. I.
Mrs. P. H. Case, Newport, R. I.
Eben S. Kilborn, Bethel.
Mrs. H. Alkaid, New York.
Miss Irene Alkaid, New York.
Master Milton Alkaid, New York.
Wm. Hastings, Bethel.
Miss Annie Brickett, Brooklyn.
Leon Blanchard, Newark, N. J.
Mrs. Leon Blanchard, Newark, N. J.
Master Linus Blanchard, Newark, N. J.
E. C. Vandenbergkroven, Germany.
Jas. A. Coe, Newark, N. J.
H. C. Rowe, Bethel.
Mr. G. P. Bean, Bethel.

Notice.

Miss Theo M. Greene will teach the Beale System of Stenography to a limited number of pupils. The full course embraces three months' instruction in Shorthand and Typewriting. Address Miss Theo Greene, Bethel, Me.



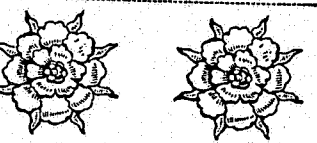
SADDLE-BACK MOUNTAIN.

A fine view of either Saddle-back or Bald Mountain engraved in teaspoon, sterling silver; for only \$1.50

Souvenir Coffee Spoons, .75 to \$1.35

Don't leave Bethel without a Souvenir of the place.

Edward King
JEWELER-OPTICIAN



"C" With a Tail.

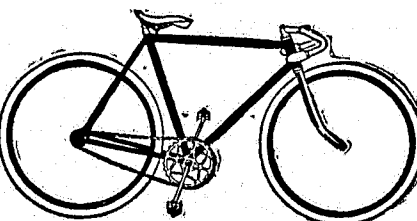
The "C" with a tail is the trademark of Cascades Candy Cathartic. Look for it on the light blue enameled metal box! Each tablet stamped C. C. C. Never sold in bulk. All druggists, roc.

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First-class bicycles to let by week, day, or hour.

Sundries of All Kinds.

Repairing done promptly and in first-class shape.

EDW KING
JEWELER-OPTICIAN

Worms?
cause sickness, and sometimes death in children, before their present. Give them a few doses of **TRUE'S PIN WORM EXPELLER**. It is a harmless vegetable tonic. A harmless vegetable tonic. Dr. J. P. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.

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At Wholesale Prices
One fully warranted, with Mahogany Case and Maudslayi, \$150.00
We Pay The Freight
Oren Hooper's Sons, Portland, Me.
"The Household Outfitters"

DIRECTORY.

We are pleased to publish the following directory for the benefit of our citizens and visitors, and to insure correctness the News should be promptly notified when changes occur.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen—S. B. Twitchell, C. E. Barker, West, F. J. Russell, Clerk, L. T. Barker; Treasurer, W. W. Hastings; Supt. of Schools, H. H. Hastings; School Committee, H. H. Hastings, East, N. F. Brown, Miss Susie Twitchell; Town Agent A. B. Herrick; Collector, H. H. Bean; Auditor, Calvin Bisbee.

MAIL SERVICE.

Mails Close.
Going East, - 8:40 a. m., 3:15 p. m.
Closed mail for Portland and Boston, 8 p. m.
Mails Arrive.
From East - 10:50 a. m.; 4:50 p. m.
From West, - 9:15 a. m., 3:45 p. m.

CHURCHES.

Methodist Episcopal, Main street, Rev. O. S. Pillsbury, Pastor. Sunday—Preaching service, 10:45 a. m.; Junior League meeting, 3 p. m.; Prayer meeting Sunday, 7:00 p. m.; Class meeting, Tuesday 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League and Church Prayer meeting, Friday 7:30 p. m.
Universalist, Church street, Rev. F. E. Barton, Pastor. Sunday—Preaching service 10:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; Y. P. C. U., 7 p. m.
Congregational, Church street, Rev. Arthur Varley, Pastor. Sunday—Preaching service, 10:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; Y. P. C. U., 7 p. m.
Junior S. C. B., 4 p. m. Tuesday—Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Union Church, West Bethel, supplied by Rev. Arthur Varley and Rev. F. E. Barton. Sunday—Preaching, 2:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 3:30 p. m.

LIBRARY.

Public Library, Broad street. Open Wednesday, from 8 to 9 p. m.; Saturday, 4 to 8 p. m. Over 2000 volumes. Mrs. G. B. Wiley, President; Annie Frye, Secretary; Mrs. O. M. Mason, Treasurer; Mrs. L. T. Barker, Librarian.

FRATERNAL ORDERS.

Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M.—H. C. Rowe, W. M.; Wilfred Bowler, S. W.; E. H. Young, J. W.; M. W. Chandler, Treasurer; D. G. Lovejoy, Secretary. Meets second Thursday of each month.
Mt. Abram Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 31—E. S. Kilborn, N. G.; Rufus Skillings, F. J. Tyler, Rec. Sec.; S. I. French, Treas. Friday evenings.
Sunset Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 64—Alice J. Farwell, N. G.; Lydia E. Parker, V. G.; Anna B. French, Rec. Sec.; Marcia Hastings, Fin. Sec.; Ellen M. Burbank, Treas. Meets first and third Monday of each month.
Bethel Grange, No. 56—F. F. Bean, W. M.; Bertha Valentine, L.; Cissy Barker, Sec. Meets every other Saturday at two o'clock.
Sudbury Col., No. 50, U. O. P. F.—J. C. Billings, Gov.; E. C. Park, Sec.; E. S. Kilborn, Treas. Meets the first and third Monday of each month.
Bethel Lodge, No. 27, J. O. U. A. M.—C. O. Foster, G.; S. A. Gibson, R. S.; F. J. Tyler, F. S.; Harry Jordan, Treas. Meets the second and fourth Tuesday in each month.
Brown Post, No. 34, G. A. R.—A. H. Hutchinson, P. C. Meets the first and third Thursday of each month at 7:30 p. m.
Brown Post, W. R. C., No. 38—Miss E. B. Burnham, Pres.; Mrs. O. S. Little, Sec.; Miss Angie Chapman, Treas. Meets the first and third Thursday of each month.
United Order of Golden Cross No. 494—N. C. Burnham, W. T. Call, Jr. in Bethel, F. K. of R., S. W. Grover, K. of R., F. W. Bisbee.

CORPORATIONS.

Bethel Savings Bank—S. B. Twitchell, Pres.; A. E. Herrick, Treas.
Bethel Manufacturing Co.—J. H. Barrows, Pres.; W. H. Winslow, Treas. and General Manager.
Bethel Water Co.—Enoch Foster, Pres.; A. E. Herrick, Treas.
Bethel Dairying Co.—W. E. Abbott, Manager.
Riverside Park Association—C. M. Wormell, Pres.; E. C. Rowe, Treas.
Bethel Light Co.—E. C. Bowler, Pres.; W. W. Hastings, Treas.

SOCIAL SOCIETIES.

Ladies' Club, Congregational—Pres. Mrs. F. S. Chandler; Vice Pres., Hattie Foster; Sec., Mrs. Hattie Richardson; Treas., Mrs. B. B. Tuell. Meets Thursday afternoon.
Ladies' Circle, Universalist—Mrs. O. M. Mason, Pres.; Mrs. G. R. Wiley, Vice Pres.; Mrs. L. B. Hopkins, Sec.; Mrs. E. C. Rowe, Treas. Meets Wednesday afternoon.
Ladies' Church Aid Society, Methodist—Mrs. Alice Jordan, Pres.; Mrs. G. Bisbee, Vice Pres.; Miss Ethel Morse, Sec.; Mrs. W. D. Hastings, Treas.
Columbian Club—Mrs. J. G. Gehring, Pres.; Miss Annie M. Frye, Sec.; Mrs. T. F. Hastings, Treas.

FIRE AT ALFRED

Shaker Settlement Receives a Scorching.

The Total Loss is Estimated at About \$6000.00.

Alfred, Aug. 3.—A fire, which for a time threatened to destroy all the buildings in the Shaker settlement, two miles west from here, Friday afternoon, was finally got under control after doing much damage. Estimated loss, \$6000. Only three buildings were burned, the dining hall, church, and residence of Elder Henry Green.

The fire started in the dining hall, probably from a defective flue, and as there were only a few persons in the place, and no fire department the flames rapidly gained headway and the building was almost completely consumed before help arrived from this town.

The nearest fire engine was at Sanford and that town was asked for aid but the fire was under control before the apparatus arrived. As soon as possible a bucket brigade of several hundred persons was fighting the flames but the blaze quickly spread to the church and seemed destined to sweep through the entire settlement. With the aid of wet blankets spread on nearby roofs the progress of the flames was checked.

The Shaker settlement, situated on Shaker Hill, is made up of about a dozen buildings. Had the fire started later in the season, it is probable that it would have been quickly extinguished as the Shakers have recently built a large reservoir and were about to erect a water tower 100 feet high for fighting fire. This tower will probably be completed in two months.

MAINE PEOPLE.

Short Personals About Our Own Men and Women Told in a Newsy Manner.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wells of Brooklin, recently celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding.

The engagement of Walter J. Mayo, one of the proprietors of Mayo & Sons' woolen mill and Miss Annie Cushing, only daughter of Hon. Wainwright Cushing, both of Foxcroft, has been announced.

Paul Philip Gould, the well-known Portland artist, will sail on the Oceanic in August for a trip of several months abroad. He expects to visit India before his return.

The American Book Company has just published for Prof. Reginald R. Goodell of Westbrook, a small volume in French, intended for a text book for use in schools. It is called "L'Enfant Espion and Other Stories."

J. E. Rhodes, 2d, of Rockland, who has been acting as private secretary to Congressman Littlefield, has resigned that position and resumed the study of law. Mr. Rhodes will be succeeded by Edward P. Walker, a nephew of the congressman, and a son of the late E. P. Walker of Vinalhaven. Mr. Walker, the new secretary is now employed in his brother's drug store at Castine and is incidentally brushing up on typewriting and shorthand, two very necessary qualifications of a private secretary.

Croup instantly relieved. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Perfectly safe. Never fails. At any drug store.

If you have a baby in the house you will wish to know the best way to check any unusual looseness of the bowels, or diarrhoea so common to small children. O. P. M. Holliday, of Denning, Ind., who has an eleven months' old child, says: "Through the months of June and July our baby was teething and took a running off of the bowels and sickness of the stomach. His bowels would move from five to eight times a day. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water and he got better at once."

For sale by G. R. Wiley, Bethel; A. S. Bean, W. Bethel; W. H. Crockett, Locke Mills; J. W. Bennett, Gilead; A. R. Small & Son, Bryant Pond.

LEEDS CENTENNIAL.

Great Celebration is Expected On August 15th.

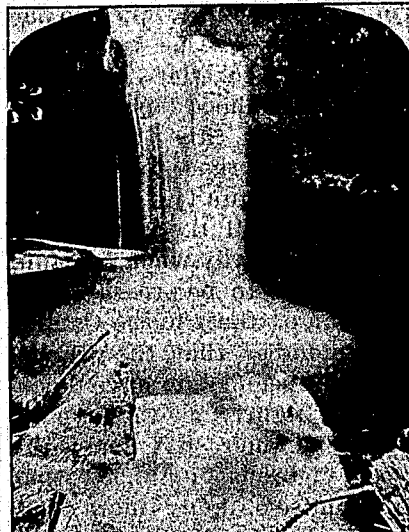
Leeds, Me., Aug. 6.—This town is all preparation for the grand events of Old Home Week, when the centennial of Leeds will be celebrated. No pains are being spared to make the event the best and biggest ever recorded in the hundred years' history of the town, and judging from the program arranged, this will be royally accomplished.

Everyone in town is planning to entertain a houseful of guests and all roads will lead to this town that week.

The celebration will be held at Leeds Centre on August 15. The entertainment will consist of a Saturday morning and evening, a parade, band music, quartet singing, reading by special artists, and speeches by noted Maine men, including Gen. O. O. Howard, formerly of Leeds.

At noon there will be a banquet and reunion around the dinner tables. The diversion of the evening will be a concert and dance. Picnic dinners will be furnished all who desire at a small cost. The evening concert tickets are 75 cents, with dance tickets \$1.

Two Views of the Albany Basins.



FIRST POOL.



SECOND POOL.

His Greatest Reward.

The death of Sir John Stainer removes one of the most fascinating personalities from the musical world. A story is told of how once he was walking with a friend by the seaside when he came upon a little group of children singing one of his hymns. "Ah!" he said as they listened to the young voices, "this is the greatest reward that I can ever hope for." The story recalls Sir Joshua Reynolds' famous note on his great picture of Mrs. Siddons as the tragic muse. This picture is the only one which bears Sir Joshua's signature. "Madam," said the artist, "if my name should go down to posterity it must be on the hem of your garment."

Senator Hoar's Joke.

Senator Hoar, when asked recently to contribute to the aid of a Worcester church, said he would give \$5 to the solicitor if the latter could recite the second couplet of a hymn after hearing the senator recite the first couplet. The senator retained his \$5, the trifling amount he had in mind beginning, "Let men of high conceit and zeal."

It Saved His Baby.

"My baby was terribly sick with the diarrhoea, we were unable to cure him with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mr. J. H. Doak, of Williams, Ore. "I am happy to say it gave me immediate relief and a complete cure."

FIGHTING RUM!

Lewiston Deputy Makes Unexpected Raids.

Liquor Dealers are Trembling.—Barrooms Closed at 10 O'clock.

Lewiston, Aug. 3.—Saturday evening when the police officers were sent out on their beats, orders were issued by Deputy Marshal Scannell to close up their shops at ten o'clock, and after that hour everything would be forcibly closed by the police officers if not voluntarily by the rumsellers themselves. It now looks as though one of the fiercest "rum wars" in the history of Lewiston was under way. Late to-night several raids were made and considerable liquor was seized.

This action on the part of the officers came as a great surprise to rumsellers who in nearly every instance cleaned out and shut up shop as directed by the officers. It is understood that the officers intend to make Lewiston a "milk and water" city before they get through. Deputy Marshal Scannell is an efficient and determined officer and already the rumsellers are trembling in their shoes. It will be remembered that a recent rum war terminated about five weeks ago. Since that time until Saturday night, the prohibitory law has been ignored and all kinds of liquors have been sold as free as water, more openly than before in the history of the city.

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The work of canning beans and peas is being rushed at the canning factory of F. H. Haynes, Dexter. A large force is now employed.

Superintendent John J. Emeley has 457,000 cans tied in the loft of the corn shop at South Paris, and says that unless the drought injures the crop \$9,000 more cans will be required to hold this season's pack of corn and succotash at this factory.

Because of the fast increasing demand for the Hughes & Son pianos the factory in Foxcroft will be increased in size, either this fall or early next spring. The old factory is 100x60 feet and the addition will be 75x60, making a building 175 feet long and 60 feet wide. At present the firm furnishes employment to 15 men at its factory, and this force will also have to be increased. By the change a shed now near the present factory building and next to the street will be removed for a site for the extension.

The Diamond Packing Co. has been organized at Lubec for the purpose of packing sardines and other fish with \$10,000 capital stock of which \$4,000 is paid in. The officers are: President, Chas. McFaul of Lubec; treasurer, Daniel McFaul of Lubec. Certificate approved, Aug. 1, 1901.

U. S. Indiana at Portland.

Portland, Aug. 3.—U. S. Indiana arrived in the harbor Friday afternoon with 150 cadets on board. She is expected to remain here until the seventh instant. The train-ship Chesapeake is due to arrive here the 10th instant to remain until the 14th.

Thrifty Senator Mason.

"I was standing in the lobby of the Auditorium in Chicago," remarked ex-Congressman P. J. Sommers recently to a writer in the Milwaukee Sentinel, "talking with Senator William E. Mason of Illinois when a trampish looking fellow came rushing in and, addressing him, said:

"Billy, lend me \$10. I have a chance to make \$3 in 15 minutes." "Billy went down in his trousers, fished up a two dollar and a one dollar note and passed them over to the man."

"I want \$10 to make the deal," remarked the man as he stretched forth his hand for additional aid. "You said you could make \$3, didn't you?" "Yes."

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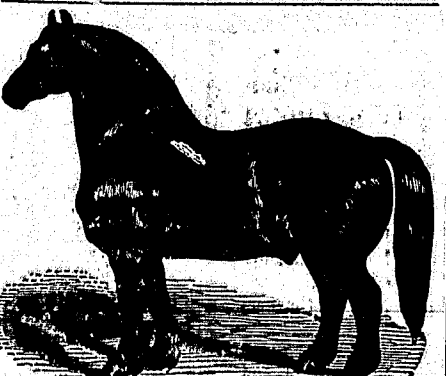
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Old Letters.

Is there a charm for you in old letters, reader? Do you have bundles of them tied up carefully, and laid away under everything else, in some drawer or trunk? And do you take them out at long intervals, thinking you will look them over and burn some, to lessen the accumulating number, but find the most of them too precious, and finally put them away again, hoping to read them once more? I am sure that some of you keep such treasures, and find many of them interesting to read over when in the mood for it, and pages that are entertaining to share with some appreciative friend, perhaps. I have many that keep such hold on my affection, yet I cannot destroy them voluntarily, as long as they are not in the way. The other day I gathered them up—some which I had not seen for four or five years—and have been spending an hour over them. The first little package contained a few of the first letters I ever received, when hardly more than a child—after we left the old home in Kentucky, to come to this far-away State. Two or three were from my dearest girl friend of childhood days, and bring bright visions of the happy days we spent together. Another is from her brother, also companion of those early years. Together we played in the beautiful gardens of each other's homes, sat under the old apple tree, or climbed into my favorite peach tree, whose crooked, branching limbs made rustic seats, and told stories from the books we had read, took long walks, on bright afternoons, wandering through the old cemetery, and the outskirts of the town, and were happy in the unquestioned belief that our lives were always to go on together.

What a grief it was to us to be separated when I came away, and I felt as if I could not be happy without them. Yet, now interests and associations soon effaced these feelings from young, light hearts, and I never saw those faces again, save as pictured ones. The sweet girlish face grew old and sad, before its time, with sorrows and losses which came into the young life; and the bright, boyish one I remember so well, was laid away from earthly sight in early manhood's prime. There is a little valentine, and a pencil sketch of our pretty summer-house and the garden around it, done up with these, which were once as precious as the letters.

Then there is a long, friendly, epistle from the dear pastor of the church where I first loved to worship. His words of wisdom and gentle counsel early gave me help in trying to walk the path of duty, and after I came away, he still gave me admonition and encouragement through his letters.

The next parcel is tied with a piece of the pale green ribbon which I remember so well was worn on my hat during that summer.

"When dear hearts discovered, While dear hands were laid on my head— The child is a woman, the books may lie over,

For all the lessons are said." Among these are long letters from loving sisters, written when I was away from home, visiting in that beautiful southern land, where roses bloom all the year. There are large sheets filled with home items, neighborhood news, girl chat, and—some of the last—with plans for a great event in their lives to take place in the near future.

How homesick these made me sometimes; but I was enjoying myself too much in that lovely spot to leave it before the appointed time. Then, after returning home, what delightful letters I received, during the next year from the friends whom I had been visiting. What accounts of the pleasures they enjoyed, the work they were doing, and of how they missed and wished me with them. I often, after receiving these, longed to be with them again, ranging under the trees where rose-vines clambered, and the long grass moss hung nearly to the ground.

There is one little packet tied with a silver cord, whose letters are all addressed in the same clear

What is Ovaritis?

A dull, throbbing pain, accompanied by a sense of tenderness and heat low down in the side, with an occasional shooting pain, indicates inflammation. On examination it will be found that the region of pain shows some swelling. This is the first stage of ovaritis, inflammation of the ovary. If the root of your house leaks, my sister, you have it fixed at once; why not pay the same respect to your own body?

You need not, you ought not to let yourself go, when one of your own sex



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graceful characters. Ah! the little white hand that wrote them, finished its life-work years ago, and the letters—I put them by without reading any of them this time. Dozen have been burned from time to time, but still they accumulated. I smile or sigh as I glance over many of them, and note passages that show the characteristics of the various writers. What recitals of hopes and joys, sorrows and disappointments, plans that met with failure or fruition, their pages hold. Bits of romance, which would be interesting enough, were I to tell them, but they are sacred confidences. One is written entirely in verse. News of the day, personal items, and finally a summer trip in the country, described in perfect and humorous rhyme. Two contain notes of travel in Europe, and three or four were written during a summer tour among the canons of the Colorado, and are descriptive of the grand, wild scenery, which surpasses almost any other in the known world. It will not do to burn these.

At last I take up one of the most precious parcels, and these I linger over longest. Letters from the dear, brown-eyed woman by the seashore, which are the most interesting of all to re-read. Here are a few, yellow with age and worn with much handling and reading, which were written to mother, when both were young, and coaxed from her to put with the rest that I treasure. These are full of girlish fun and chat—real newsy letters. Then after I was grown, and corresponded with her myself, I kept some of each year's letters, too good and pleasant to be destroyed. Rich treats they were, coming into my lonely out-of-the-world life, for a few years, when I most needed forming influences and the society of cultivated minds. They were grave and gay, alternately—some embellished by pages of deep, true sentiment, others with beautiful description, flowing humor, touching pathos, mingled in one sheet, perhaps, by her versatile pen. In some of the oldest she tells of the beauties of her country home—the grand old trees and vines that embower the house, the many flowers unknown to me, the honeysuckle arbor where she invites me to sit and write my first attempts at poetry, which she will not criticize severely, if I will visit her; the brook which runs through their place, "rippling along its rocky bed with its musical murmur, all the summer-time, and rushing like a young cataract, when swollen by winter rains;" and finally, the far-reaching prairies, which are one vast flower-garden. She says in one: "Nowhere that I have seen is the world of nature so beautiful as in Texas. Just imagine each head of clover in your yard to be crowned with an exquisite flower—and they of every hue, each offering

up its incense of sweet odor, and you will have a picture of our yard. Then extend this picture, in imagination, to the whole country around, and you will know what is meant by the beauty of a Texas prairie in the spring. How often have I wished for you to see it. The little herbarium I sent can give but a faint idea of the brilliancy of the flowers in full bloom, much less of the enchantment of seeing them in such excessive, such wonderful profusion."

Farther on in the same letter, I read a paragraph in answer to something I had just written to her. "I had a whole chapter of seventeen-year-old reflections to give you, but want of time forbids it just now. Yet this I will say, don't reflect too deeply about anything in the future. 'Tis of no use—that is, query and speculation are of no use, or never were in my case. 'Look not mournfully into the past—it comes not back again; wisely improve the present—it is thine; go forth to meet the shadowy future without fear and with a manly heart.'" Such is beautifully said by Longfellow in his "Hyperion." I add—with God for thy guide. It seems to me, a brief expression of the whole true philosophy of life."

In later years from her "cottage by the sea," she gives me pen-pictures, of the grandeur of old ocean. Glorious sunsets in the crimson waters, walks upon the beach in sight of the white-capped waves, with myriads of tinted shells under foot, and the never-ceasing murmur in one's ears. One evening when not feeling well, she writes: "This perfectly beautiful night ought to charm any one out of all ailments of the flesh. That moon shining on the water! the light and shadow playing hide and seek through the trees—oh, how I wish you could see it all as I do, because this is a phase of nature with which you are not familiar, and that boundless sea, with its ever-changing aspect—always so grand, is so suggestive to the poetic mind, and it affords it such delightful food, I feel that you ought to have it instead of me."

I wonder what mind is more poetical than hers. But she says that although she had a poet's heart, even when a child, she never had the gift of utterance for it; and then humorously comments upon "what the world has lost, of genius, in consequence, and what I have lost—in pocket money! An author's fortune, perhaps. Do you not think so?" I can not give the beautiful words she writes in times of sorrow and bereavement—they are too sacred; nor those of cheering encouragement and spicy humor about my writings, they are too personal; but I quote once more from some thoughts of hers, written when she was feeling much anxiety about an absent dear one. They were suggested by a little poem I sent her on the subject of "that peace which passeth understanding." "Such peace," she says, "is the culmination of the Christian's hopes, prayers and blessings. 'Not as the world giveth.' Does the world ever give any true peace, I wonder? If so I have rarely seen it. With the world's choicest blessings comes no peace, for the more the heart clings to and enjoys them, the deeper the tremulous fear lest we lose them. In whatever form our barque of love is launched, we know it is out on a stormy sea, and it may be wrecked. No, it is a plain fact—there is no true, abiding peace, except from a source above this world, and its existence maintained independent of the vicissitudes of this life. Something that the current of events can neither make nor mar. 'Not as the world giveth, give I unto you.' That peace, which is the soul's true and only rest, is the highest point and aim of existence, and if one attains it in this life, even through pain and weariness, and long struggling, then have those many trials been paths all leading directly to the gate of Heaven."

Oh, these dear old letters! I could go on reading and quoting from them much longer, but will forbear, and put away my letters, for another year, hoping I may, at least, find a few appreciative readers.—Home Magazine.

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After all, shouldn't we demand indemnity from Italy for sending us so much lynchable material?

Up in Minnesota a justice of the peace has fined himself for selling baking powder without a label. Evidently he is "absolutely pure."

Count no man a hero until he is dead! Examples of the reverse may be found in current history in Great Britain and the United States.

We hope the fact that the Secretary of War is investigating the canteen subject means that the soldiers will ultimately get some root beer.

An Illinois preacher says the recent drought was a punishment for the sins of the people. If so, methods must have changed since Noah's day.

Queer that American trolleys have no baggage cars. In Europe and even in South America, every third car carries baggage; the others are not allowed to do so.

Seriously, what has become of Mr. Roosevelt? He hasn't been heard of for several months which—with Mr. Roosevelt—indicates that something has happened.

Possibly the Navy and the New York Sun are right and the rest of the United States are wrong. But the American press doesn't often get solidly wrong on any question.

Talk about chivalry! Why even the British yeomanry are kicking because they are receiving handsome medals for South African service instead of several months' arrears of pay.

What is coming to Tennessee? Fifteen shots fired in a court room there and only three people wounded, none of them dangerously. Tennessee should take some lessons from Kentucky!

The bother with the new government places that are going begging is that any man who comes up to requirements can earn four times the money elsewhere. Uncle Sam is spendthrift and economical in spots.

Uncle Sam doesn't intend to stand any nonsense in the Philippines. A lot of teamsters who

struck, when ordered to break stone for a road, have been sent to jail for several months to give them time to think over it.

The anti-spitting crusade has received additional impetus from the recent announcement of the doctors that consumption is chiefly, if not altogether, transmitted by means of sputum. Consumptives especially should be careful.

The giving to Lord Roberts of a half million dollars strikes the average American as unwarranted. When it was supposed that he had ended the war, such a proposal might have been more reasonable, but to day it is hard to say for what he deserves reward.

The articles now printed in the German papers might have been practically copied from those in the American press some years ago when the tariff question was an issue in our politics. And the comments of the American press to-day might have been copied from those of the German press of a few years ago. Evidently it makes a good deal of difference whose ox is gored.



GARLAND CHAPEL FAIR.

A member of the Congregational Ladies' Club recently remarked that it would not in the least surprise her if, on the morning of this Fair she should meet a procession of wholly-unattended ice-cream freezers on their way to Garland Chapel—so systematized have these successful annual Fairs become!

On the morning of August 15, which will be a week from next Thursday, although the usual downfall of rain is to be anticipated, preparations will go gallily on for the opening at two o'clock. Those wonderfully interesting tables will attract the many summer visitors who have for years wisely laid in their stock of Christmas gifts from the unique and artistic articles offered for such reasonable prices—often less than half the sum asked for similar articles in cities.

There will also be that useful and ever popular apron sale. The children's table always attracts, and so does Bethel's far-famed home-made candy, served to customers by Bethel belles.

A novel feature of the Fair, and one sure to attract, will be Miss Lewis' table of artistic "burnt work"—something quite unhackneyed and beautiful!

At six o'clock, one of those well-remembered delicious suppers will be served.

In the evening there will be a program which bids fair to rival those of other years, as Miss Chamberlain and Dr. Sturdivant will sing; Mrs. Sturdivant and Miss Rand will play; Miss Twaddle will give one of her delightful character sketches; Mrs. Gehring will relate the story of Mrs. Chillingworth's disastrous ride in a New York cable car; Mr. Hanscom will give one of his two-sold heard readings; and then the yearly attraction, Mrs. Wm. Rogers Chapman, (whose gracious generosity has added so much to these annual occasions as to make one seem absolutely impossible without her aid as a "star") will delight the audience with a novel selection which is something of a departure from her usual repertoire.

Ices will be served at intermission; the program will begin at eight p. m.—and old and new friends, townspeople, and the strangers within our gates will receive a most cordial welcome.

The laws of health require that the bowels move once each day and one of the penalties for violating this law is piles. Keep your bowels regular by taking a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when necessary and you will never have that severe punishment inflicted upon you. Price, 25 cents. For sale by Wiley.

What most people want is something mild and gentle, when in need of a physic. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets fill the bill to a dot. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by Wiley.

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

The Queer Experience of a Life Insurance Agent.

"I'm going to give up the business," said the life insurance agent, with a sigh. "I don't care whether they meant it for a joke or not. It's a hard life, and people have no business to be funny at my expense."

"I have always prided myself upon my ability to land a man when once I succeeded in getting his attention. But I had a new experience the other day. I was working hard to convince a party that it was his duty to take out some of our insurance upon his life for the protection of his family, and I saw that I had him wavering when I had to pause for breath, and he broke in with:

"By the way, how much do you carry on your life?"

"While I, taken unaware by the abruptness of the question, was stammering a reply he escaped. The incident set me to thinking. I had induced hundreds of men to insure their lives for the benefit of their families, and yet I had never thought far enough to carry any insurance upon my own life. It didn't look consistent, now that I came to consider the question, and I resolved to remedy it at once. To think is to act with me, and I sat down and filled out an application at once for a good round sum.

"I got the application back today marked 'Refused; occupation too dangerous.' The next paper they get from me will be my resignation."—Detroit Free Press.

A Simple Remedy.

Mrs. Whyte—Does your husband ever have the nightmare?

Mrs. Browne—Well, he sometimes starts to have one, but for a good many years now I have been in the habit of taking a hatpin to bed with me, so that I can generally wake him up before he gets well to going.—Somerville Journal.

Merely an Incident.

"I clutched that child and saved her from falling off the street car going at frightful speed."

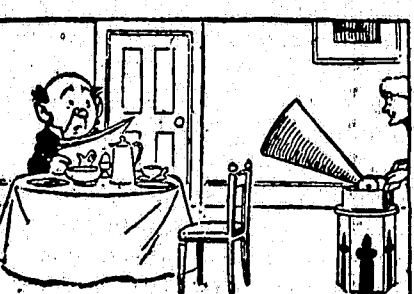
"That was fortunate."

"Not for me; the child's mother berated me for tearing its frock."—Chicago Record-Herald.

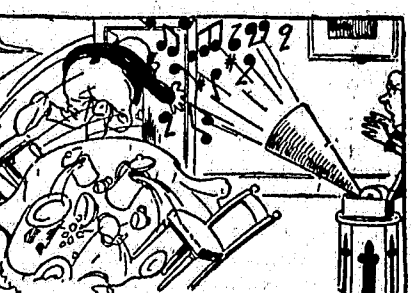
The Music of His Dreams.



"Ah," said Mrs. Bellows, "Percy declares he never snores. I'll just prove to him with this phonograph that he does."



And the next day at breakfast Mrs. Bellows produced the phonograph. "Shall we have a little music?" she smiled.



"Why what's the matter, dear?" she murmured. "It's your own composition." But Percy was already half way to the office.

Some Distinction.

She—Don't let my refusal of your proposal embitter you, Mr. Simpkins.

He—Oh, no; after all, it is something to have been even rejected by a girl who owns a \$500 dog.—Detroit Free Press.

Overtaxed.

The Benedict—Do you think bachelors should be taxed?

The Bachelor—No; they are taxed enough in having to listen to the tales of woe from their married friends.—Chicago News.

His Turn Now.

"Jones is a man of remarkable foresight."

"How do you make that out?"

"Why, he insisted upon his relatives from Buffalo visiting him last winter."—Life.

Checkmate.

"The doctor would not let Mame wear that gorgeous check waist."

"Why not?"

"He said it checked the perspiration."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Old Gorgon Graham's Business Philosophy.

Baron Munchausen was the first traveling man, and my drummers' expense accounts still show his influence.

Adam invented all the different ways in which a young man can make a fool of himself, and the college yell at the end of them is just a frill that doesn't change essentials.

It's the fellow who thinks and acts for himself, and sells short when prices hit high C and the house is standing on its hind legs yelling for more, that sits in the directors' meetings when he gets on toward forty.

Pay day is always a month off for the spendthrift, and he is never able to realize more than sixty cents on any dollar that comes to him. But a dollar is worth one hundred and six cents to a good business man, and he never spends the dollar.

If you gave some fellows a talent wrapped in a napkin to start in business, they would swap the talent for a gold brick and lose the napkin; and there are others that you could start out with just a napkin who would set up with it in the dry-goods business in a small way and then coax the other fellow's talent into it.

I always lay it down as a safe proposition that the fellow who has to break open the baby's bank for car-fare toward the last of the week isn't going to be any Russell Sage when it comes to trading with the old man's money.—From the letters of a self-made merchant to his son, now appearing in The Saturday Evening Post, of Philadelphia.

A lame shoulder is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles, and may be cured by a few applications of Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

For sale by G. R. Wiley, Bethel; A. S. Bean, W. Bethel; W. H. Crockett, Locke Mills; J. W. Bennett, Gilead; A. R. Small & Son, Bryant Pond.

EAST BETHEL.

Mrs. G. W. Tracy visited Norway last Thursday.

Mrs. Lizzie Demond is caring for Mrs. G. K. Hastings.

J. M. Bartlett is home from Berlin, N. H., for a few weeks.

Mrs. E. Merrill spent the past week with relatives in this place.

Good man wanted in this locality by T. Morris, Cincinnati, O. Write me!

Mr. E. A. Cross and Mr. S. Berry from Bridgton, visited at C. M. Kimball's, last week.

Mr. A. Nutting from Lewiston, and Mrs. Chas. Tupper from Perham, Aroostook, are visiting their father, Mr. Oliver Nutting, at Porter Farwell's.

THE HOME GOLD CURE

An Ingenious Treatment by which Drunkards are Being Cured Daily in Spite of Themselves.

No Noxious Doses. No Weakening of the Nerves. A Pleasant and Positive Cure for the Liquor Habit.

It is now generally known and understood that Drunkenness is a disease and not a weakness.

A body filled with poison, and nerves completely shattered by physical or constant use of intoxicating liquors, requires an antidote capable of neutralizing and eradicating this poison and destroying the craving for intoxicants. Sufferers may now cure themselves at home without publicity or loss of time from business by this wonderful "HOME GOLD CURE" which has been perfected after many years of close study and treatment of inebriates. The faithful use according to directions of this wonderful discovery is positively guaranteed to cure the most obstinate case, no matter how hard a drinker. Our records show the marvellous transformation of thousands of Drunkards into sober, industrious and upright men.

WIVES CURE YOUR HUSBANDS!! CHILDREN CURE YOUR FATHERS!! This remedy is in no sense a nostrum but is a specific for this disease only, and is so skillfully devised and prepared that it is thoroughly soluble and pleasant to the taste, so that it can be given in a cup of tea or coffee without the knowledge of the person taking it. Thousands of Drunkards have cured themselves with this disease only, and as many more have been cured and made temperate men by having the "CURE" administered by loving friends and relatives without their knowledge in coffee or tea, and believe to-day that they discontinued drinking of their own free will. DO NOT WAIT. Do not be deluded by apparent and misleading "improvement." Drive out the disease at once and for all time. The "HOME GOLD CURE" is sold at the extremely low price of One Dollar, thus placing within reach of everybody a treatment more effective than others costing \$25 to \$50. Full directions accompany each package. Special advice by skilled physicians when requested without extra charge. Sent prepaid to any part of the world on receipt of One Dollar. Address: Dept. A 751 EDWIN B. GILES & COMPANY, 2320 and 2322 Market Street, Philadelphia.

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More New Furniture

—AT—

Lower Low Prices.

In order that no one get the idea that to come now to our grand mid-summer furniture sale will be too late, we say—all low prices will continue thro' this month of August. This arrangement is easily possible for the reason that our low price sale was not of old goods, but new, up-to-date material and designs. Let us again urge upon the minds of every truly economical buyer that good things like these furniture bargains cannot last always, and to be sure of a share, get them while you can. There was never a better time than Right Now—never a larger assortment than Right Now, never such low prices on high qualities as Right Now.

While the splendid opportunities of our Carpet Department as advertised last week stand out prominently for consideration, starting surprises await the visitor in all other departments.

10 New Parlor Suites,	\$35.00 to \$75.00
7 New Divans,	\$10.00 to \$25.00
12 Corner Chairs,	\$9.00 to \$30.00
20 Couches,	\$8 up to \$40

And so we might go on and enumerate the items we know will appeal to the good sense of every buyer, but such an undertaking would satisfy only in part—the best way is to come or write us concerning your immediate wants and we will do the rest.

WE PAY FREIGHT.

Bradford, Conant & Co.

199-203 LISBON STREET,

LEWISTON,

MAINE.

THE WHIRL OF FASHION.

Tailor made gowns of pale blue tulle are in marked vogue among fashion's elegants this season.

The elbow sleeve, with turned back cuffs, falling lace frills or gathered undersleeves, will constitute one of the retained fashions of next season.

The bolero, Eton, Russian, Moorish and other distracting little jackets of lace or silk are still very much in evidence at all fashionable gatherings.

Paris is showing a decided preference for red this summer. Matrons are wearing cream-mustins with large red spots thereon, profusely trimmed about the bodice with lace.

White and green and black and green are among the very fashionable color combinations. Many of these melanges prove very attractive, while others do not. The green worn with black must be of a certain shade to look well. Mixed with white, less care is demanded in the selection of suitable green.

One of the very fashionable features of autumn modes will be the wearing by slender, youthful women of princess dresses or overdresses of soft, beautiful wools or of peau de soie, lousine and other silks, fastened at the back, plainly trimmed around the bottom, but very ornate and elaborate about the waist.—New York Post.

CROWN POINTS.

Queen Alexandra has a great friendship for Russia. She used to go fishing with the czar, Alexander III, who, by the way, against all her pleading, persisted in the use of live bait.

The sultan of Sulu is a little man, with a no more striking personality than is given him by his costume. When standing, he hardly comes above the elbow of the average American.

Prince Christian, oldest son of the crown prince of Denmark, intends to visit the United States on his yacht in the spring of 1902. Prince and Princess Charles of Denmark also contemplate a trip to America in 1902.

The Duke of York will be the nineteenth English prince of Wales if that title be finally conferred upon him. It is of course impossible that he can break his father's record as heir to the crown. The present King Edward VII was heir apparent for ten weeks over 60 years.

PERT PERSONALS.

Jules Verne has started in to write his ninety-ninth story. If he doesn't tell too big a whopper in its construction, he may be spared a century run.—Los Angeles Times.

Tolstol seems to have a bad case of the photograph habit, but it would be more endurable if he would quit sitting for his picture in gunny sacks and Mother Hubbards.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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No such thing as "summer complaint" where Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is kept handy. Nature's remedy for every looseness of the bowels.

For Sale.
Otis' High Grade Fertilizer by Chas. Mason, Bethel, Me.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that Bank Book numbered 4904, issued by the Bethel Savings Bank, of Bethel, Maine, to Helena O. Small, of Mexico, Me., has been lost, and application for a duplicate book has been made to said Bank. All persons are hereby notified that after the expiration of six months from the last publication of this notice, a duplicate book will be issued by said Bank to said Helena O. Small, in accordance with the Statute in such case made and provided.

A. E. HERRICK,
Treasurer of Bethel Savings Bank.

Notice.

I have on hand a few good Concord Wagons, Open Buggies, Top Buggies, which I will sell as low as can be bought anywhere in the County. Please call and see them. I also have a good second hand three seated carriage and surry for sale.

J. C. Billings,
Bethel, Maine.

Wanted.

Young men to sell Poultry Supplies in Oxford County. One acquainted with Poultry preferred. Salary and Commission. Address Ellis Poultry Supply Co., Chelsea, Mass.

Lost.

On Monday night, between Albany Basins and Bethel, a rubber blanket, marked W. W. P. Finder will please leave at E. H. Young's harness store.

D. H. Mason, Bethel.

Wanted.

Two large cast iron potash kettles about four feet in diameter at top.

Messrs. Springer & Co.,
West Bethel, Me.

Will Polish The Finest Surface.

either varnished or veneered, in less time and at less cost than any other furniture polish on the market.

"3-in-1" has no disagreeable varnish odor and leaves no grease, moisture or gum to stick to the clothes. Just a few drops of oil and a little rub will do the deed. Dealers everywhere sell it.

Edicate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 100, 250. If C. C. Call, druggists refund money.

THE NEWRY

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CASSTORY The Kind You Have Bears the Signature of

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Whereas my wife, Julia, having left my bed and without cause or provocation hereby forbid all persons ing or trusting her to my as I shall pay none of her tor this date.

CHAS. O. P 9w3

July 20, 1901.

To Let.

The large house on Ma known as the Alpine Holet. For further particulars to A. J. Blake, Gilead.

Stops the Cough and Work

Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine cure a cold in one day. No no Pay. Price 25 cents. Ly

Coughing

"I was given up to die with quick consumption. I then began to use Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I improved at once, and am now in perfect health."—Chas. E. Hartman, Gibbstown, N. Y.

It's too risky, playing with your cough.

The first thing you know it will be down deep in your lungs and the play will be over. Begin early with Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and stop the cough.

Three sizes 15c., 30c., 50c. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. We are willing. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

THE NEWRY NEWS.

The News as Gathered by Our Regular Correspondent.

Miss Ada Bean is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Frank Russell of East Bethel.

Miss Ethel Hastings has returned home after an absence of some weeks in Waterville.

Mrs. Dorcas Goodnow sent a handsome silk sofa-cushion to Dover, N. H., last week.

H. S. Hastings has finished haying on the home farm, and is now haying on his farm at E. Bethel.

"Progressive Power of the Churches" was the theme of Rev. W. H. Congdon's Sabbath discourse.

Mrs. Daniel Hastings with her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Skinner and her young children, made us a pleasant call recently.

Mrs. Congdon is not so well at present; the exertion made to attend church two weeks ago, proved too much for her strength.

On Wednesday evening, Aug. 14, there will be a Pound Party at Union Vestry for the benefit of the pastor. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. Will Frost and her sons, Hervy and Herbert, of Framingham, Mass., are guests at H. S. Hastings'. Miss Helen Frost and Miss Iza Cutting returned to Framingham, Mass., Tuesday.

Rev. Judson Shaw of Falmouth, was in town Tuesday night. Mr. Shaw is traveling in the interest of "Young Citizens' Loyal League," the aim of this Society being to place in our common schools, literature of interest and benefit to the children. He is the father of Miss Adele Marie Shaw, a successful teacher of Brooklyn and a writer for Everywhere, Century, and McClure's magazines.

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Mr. A. R. Saunders went to Massachusetts Tuesday, where he will remain for a few days, before returning to South Dakota.

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Mr. Wiles and son are haying for I. H. Lord.

J. S. Herrick is building a house for Sylvester York.

Woodbury Russell is cutting the grass on Mrs. A. A. Rolfe's farm.

Henry Pearson and wife from Jamaica Plains, are staying at B. French's.

Mrs. Anna Tracy from Lawrence, Mass., has been visiting at E. A. Cox's, of late.

Mrs. Geo. Hobbs' sister and her children from Beverly, Mass., are staying with her several weeks.

Freeman Haskell will have an auction the 14th, and will sell lots of household goods, a fine piano, cows, etc.

Eugene O. French has bought the Freeman Haskell farm and all the crops; this is one of the best farms in town.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Dr. H. P. Jones*

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Whereas my wife, Julia A. Peare, having left my bed and board without cause or provocation, I hereby forbid all persons harboring or trusting her to my expense, as I shall pay none of her bills after this date.

CHAS. O. PEARE.

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Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 25 cents. 1yAug22

ALBANY.

Mrs. I. J. Jenkins of North Norway, visited at A. G. Bean's, the 31st.

Mrs. Cora Sawin visited relatives and friends in Albany last week.

Many of our farmers are predicting a light crop of potatoes this season.

Ariel Carver, John Adams and E. T. Jenkins are at work haying for D. A. Cummings.

U. G. Wheeler of Wakefield, Mass., and Alton Wheeler of So. Paris, visited at J. K. Wheeler's, last week.

Chas. Beckler is shingling his barn. There seems to have been plenty of weather for such work in the last week or two.

O. W. H. Jenkins visited his son E. T. Jenkins, one day last week. It being an exceptionally fine day for fishing, they decided to try their luck at "luring the spotted beauties from their cool retreat beneath the mossy bank." They accordingly set out with all necessary equipments, but returned ere long, rather crest-fallen, saying never a word, but no doubt, inwardly "blessing the fellow who was smart enough to get ahead of them."

DIXFIELD.

The work on Eli S. Oliver's house in Mexico has commenced, and will be pushed right along.

The Harlow mill was shut down for a few days last week.

P. C. Lapham, who has been visiting in Locke Mills and Woodstock, has returned. We understand that Mr. Lapham is thinking about buying a farm and settling down in that part of the country. We are sorry, as he has proved a good citizen, and will be missed by his many friends.

A novel wedding took place here one day last week. The groom rode down in a team and the bride followed in another team. They were married by Rev. M. B. Townsend, after which they bought a feed of crackers and cheese. After the repast, the groom rode home to Mexico, and the bride went home to ask the paternal forgiveness. We have not heard whether it was granted or not.

Mr. H. E. Record, who has been visiting E. L. Kidder, was tendered a farewell party at Weld, where he was visiting, on Tuesday evening. He was the guest of Miss Angie Sweet. This is the fourteenth summer that Mr. Record has visited Weld, and the jolly party that gathered on the beautiful lawn of the Dennis Swett homestead, abundantly proved that he has many warm friends in Weld. A brief musical program was rendered, after which ice cream and cake were served. We all hope that Mr. Record will be able to pay us a visit the coming summer.

MIDDLE INTERVALE.

O. M. Buck, is haying for Miss S. N. Kimball.

Mr. V. Bean of Chandler Hill cut Ellen P. Kimball's hay, recently.

J. H. Carter and family of Framingham, Mass., are guests at their old home here.

E. P. Kimball and little Florence, are picking berries for Howard Maxim on Bird Hill.

Mrs. M. J. Kerwin and her niece, Miss Maud Burns of Portland, have been visiting at the Maple and Pine Farm.

Rheumatism

What is the use of telling the rheumatic that he feels as if his joints were being dislocated?

He knows that his sufferings are very much like the tortures of the rack. What he wants to know is what will permanently cure his disease.

That, according to thousands of grateful testimonials, is

Hood's Sarsaparilla

It promptly neutralizes the acid in the blood on which the disease depends, completely eliminates it, and strengthens the system against its return. Try Hood's.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

Mrs. A. S. Kimball of Norway is visiting at her old home.

Josie Adams of Stoneham is working for Mrs. Freeland Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Bell of Boston, again occupy their summer home on Blackguard.

Mrs. Anna Haines is the guest of her mother, Mrs. John Gerry, and her sister, Josie Gerry.

Charles Briggs of Pittsburg, Pa., died recently. His wife, Mary Briggs, is a daughter of Mrs. John Gerry of this place.

A Whist party called "The Jolly Six," was given by Ethel Kendall at her home last Wednesday night. Refreshments were cake and ice cream.

Fred Brooks, silversmith, of Providence, R. I., is boarding at the Mason place, also Anna and Lillian Mason of Rhode Island, who have come to spend the summer.

Mrs. Martha Norton of Porter, sister of Mrs. George C. Kimball of this place, and her two daughters recently visited her son, Nathaniel Norton, a prominent lawyer in Buffalo, and while there they visited the Pan-American Exposition.

The Methodist society of Bridgton held a picnic on the banks of Mutiny brook, last Thursday. Unluckily, a shower came up, causing them to disperse sooner than they were intending, but not until after the dinner was served by the cool retreat for which Mutiny is famous. It is a favorite resort for picnickers and tourists.

LOVELL.

James Abbott of Somerville is here for his vacation.

Walker & Kimball are having a good run of business at their livery stable.

Mrs. Elmer Bassett and two sons of Milton, Mass., are at W. C. Bassett's.

Stone masons are at work on the foundation of C. H. Davis' new house on Church St.

We are glad to see Francis Woodbury, who is home from Hartford, at his father's in Sweden for two weeks.

John Irish is home from Massachusetts on a vacation. John will be original so, instead of bringing a lot of outing things with him as many fellows would have done, he just took along the mumps.

You assume no risk when you buy Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. G. R. Wiley, Bethel; A. S. Bean, W. Bethel; W. H. Crockett, Locke Mills; J. W. Bennett, Gilead; A. R. Small & Son, Bryant Pond, will refund your money if you are not satisfied after using it. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful remedy in use in bowel complaints and the only one that never fails. It is pleasant, safe and reliable.

Dr. SETH ARNOLD'S BALM is a reliable remedy for all Bowel Disorders and the proprietors hereby guarantee every 25 cent bottle to give satisfaction or money refunded by any druggist.

WEST BETHEL.

All the News from Our Nearby Neighbor.

Rufus Skillings is reported on the sick list.

Haying progresses slowly during the dog days weather.

A traveling agent for the Oxford County Advertiser passed through town last week.

Mrs. A. J. Haskell and three children have been visiting relatives in Milan, N. H.

Mrs. Mary M. Bean and son Milton, have returned to their home in So. Acton, Mass.

Claude N. Mills of Portland has been spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mills.

Joseph S. Mason and wife are being visited by their daughter, Mrs. Grace Mitchell, and children of Methuen, Mass.

Mrs. Vienna Holt, widow of the late Milton Holt, has closed her residence here and gone to Massachusetts.

A broad middle counter has been made in the Dennison store, and some new shelves put up, which is a great improvement.

Philip Bourbean, who died in Norway last week from injuries received in the South Paris sled factory, was formerly a resident of this village, working for a number of years for the late A. S. Bean.

NEWRY.

Miss Effie Thurston is visiting relatives in Lewiston.

Mrs. R. W. Kilgore has friends from Boston visiting her.

There is a large number of boarders at Poplar Tavern.

Dr. Osco Whitman, wife and little daughter, Wheatie, visited with his cousin, Walter Foster, over Sunday.

Miss May I. Foster, who has been at her old home in Newry for some time, and visited with relatives in New York City, for the past two weeks, has now returned to her business of tapestry painting in Chicago.

GRAFTON.

Asbury Spearrin was in Bethel Saturday.

Fred Kilgore and Will Walker of Newry were in town Saturday.

G. A. Otis and W. H. Otis have been cutting the hay on George Muse's farm.

Rev. H. S. Whitman and wife are visiting his mother and sister in this town.

Willard and Bert Pratt have returned from Falmouth and are now cutting the hay on their father's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McInnis, who have been at A. F. Brooks' the past few days, have gone to Woodstock for a week.

A dance was given by E. I. Brown at the Town Hall, last Thursday evening. There was a good crowd present and all say they had a fine time.

Business Good at Norway.

Norway, Aug. 3, 1901.—Business in this town has never been better than at the present time. The Radcliffe Shoe Co., who has recently moved into the large factory, expect to do a very largely increased business on what they have been doing; although for the last eight or nine months they have had no let-up in their work. The employees, without exception, are satisfied, and feel that with steady work their compensation is all right. This factory can use more help in their stitching room at the present time than is possible to get in, or about Norway. Business never was running smoother in the factories than at the present time, and it is thought that any and all applying for work here would find all they wanted to do.

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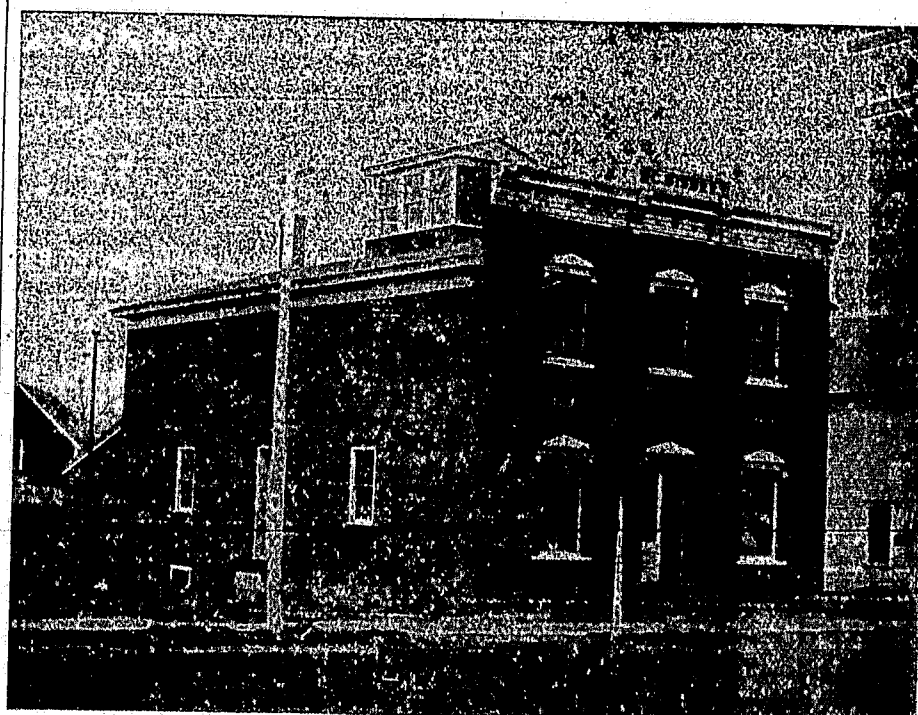
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FARM AND GARDEN

INTENSIVE CULTURE.

Liberal and Ordinary Feeding Compared—What Nitrate Does.

The accompanying reproduction of two baskets of potatoes harvested about the first week in October last from seed planted June 19 represents the actual difference between results secured from liberal feeding and a very thorough cultivation and from ordinary methods of fertilization and culture in the same field on identical



RESULTS OF HIGH AND COMMON CULTURE.

the same kind of soil. The first appears at the left of the cut, the other at the right.

The writer who sends the sketch to Country Gentleman calls attention to the desirability of culture that will produce "quality" and successfully combine it with "quantity," to which latter much attention has already been devoted.

These potatoes were grown on upland clay, hard and tenacious, better adapted to marble making than to potato growing. With plowing and thorough pulverization with roller, disk, spring tooth harrow and plank drag, the soil was perfectly fined and mellowed to the depth of five or six inches, except the check or No. 2 plat, which was given only the ordinary preparation of the average farmer.

The seed cut to two eyes was planted with an application of high grade complete potato manure on both plats. In a few days the weeder was used on plat No. 1, followed by three harrowings at intervals. After that nitrate of soda was applied, followed by two cultivations on each of the two succeeding weeks and another application of nitrate of soda the following week. Bordeaux mixture was used, further cultivation given, and a third application of nitrate was given just as the vines came into bloom.

Plat No. 2 was cultivated four times, had one application of paris green, but no bordeaux or nitrate.

TURNIPS IN THE CORN.

Two Good Crops Grown Together.

I have been sowing turnip seed in my cornfield for nearly 50 years. One year I sowed 30 pounds of seed on 30 acres and harvested about 10,000 bushels of turnips and a good crop of corn, says a writer in Orange Judd Farmer. Plant the corn in straight rows and keep the cultivator going until about the middle of July, then sow the turnip seed directly after the last cultivation. If two or three dashing showers fall in a week or so, no covering is needed. If my ground is ready and showers are in prospect, I hasten to sow my seed. If no rain comes, the seed must be lightly covered, much as you would clover seed. Two or three boards fastened together and drawn between the rows of corn cover the seed very nicely.

A strap leaved turnip of the best variety will grow almost anywhere provided the plant can get a start. I want my turnips for feeding all the way from September to February, and I want a lot of them. Bushel for bushel they are worth more than mangels during this time. Give the cattle and sheep plenty of turnips, and no medicine will be needed.

Turnips should be stored as near the stock as possible, so they can be easily fed. Any place where ventilation can be controlled and where frosts can be kept out will answer. I have a cellar under the driveway of my barn 16 by 32 by 10 feet, which I have filled with roots more than once. Be careful, however, not to put any turnips into your cellar after they have been out on the ground on a frosty night. A few bushels injured by freezing will start a heat that will destroy all of them.

Shallow Cultivation For Corn.

We do not believe in deep cultivation for corn as it has grown more than three or four inches high. By that time it has begun to seed its roots out; hence to work the soil deep after this has begun is to break those roots and to check the growth. There may be a period in the growth of a plant or tree when a root pruning is beneficial, but so little is known about it that it is not care to experiment with it in a haphazard way. But in a year like the present deep cultivation is likely to break more corn roots than in a dry and warmer season. The corn root needs moisture, but not too much, and it delights in the heat of the sun. It is thus likely to run much nearer the surface than it would have done if we had been favored with more warm days and less rain. Working the soil as deep as the manure used will make it fertile before planting the seed and as thoroughly as possible after the corn begins to grow, but not more than three inches deep between the rows, and in a season like this we would prefer not to go more than two inches deep, says American Cultivator.

ALL ABOUT MILLET.

When to Sow and What Variety.

Hard on the Land and Needs Manure.

I am asked a number of questions regarding millet, says L. W. Lighty of Pennsylvania in The National Stockman and Farmer. When shall I sow? Millet can be sown any time after corn planting up to August in our latitude. Last season we were in the rainless district, and the ground was as dry as powder for a few months, until the beginning of August, when we had a shower. I then seeded two and one-half acres, and in about 45 or 50 days it cut over seven tons of excellent hay, and it made the growth with the aid of only two very light showers. With plenty of heat and moisture it grows very rapidly.

What variety? I tried a number of varieties, but the German or Golden millet gave me the most satisfactory results. How much seed to the acre? If seeded rather thick, it makes a finer growth and better quality of hay. It also is more likely to smother the weeds. But the weeds often make us trouble in the early sown millet.

The ideal method to get ahead of the weeds is to prepare the land in the spring and then allow the weeds to germinate and harrow it thoroughly, allow another germination and then, about the middle of July, make a very fine seedbed and sow, and very few weeds will grow. But many times we want to use the land for other purposes or the weather will not allow.

I often grow a crop of Canada peas or oats before millet, and when that is off disk the ground thoroughly and seed to millet, thus taking two crops in one season. I sow the seed broadcast. Sow only clean seed.

Is it hard on the land? Should I use stable manure or fertilizer? Yes, it is hard on the land. Like timothy, it takes all its food from near the surface. Being a quick grower, it needs plenty of readily available plant food, so I prefer to plow or work in well rotted stable manure and use a quick acting fertilizer. A good fertilizer on my soil I found to be 150 pounds of S. C. rock phosphate, 50 pounds nitrate of soda and 50 pounds muriate of potash. It makes a good sowing crop. For hay I like to cut it when the earliest heads have made seed, but the average heads are just in blossom. If properly cured, this makes a very palatable hay.

POMONA MEETINGS.

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Too many make a mistake in not raising calves until of an age to sell for veal. It is a question with me whether it does not pay better to keep calves until near Christmas and then sell, says a New York correspondent of Farm and Home. One thing is sure. Let a farmer once work up an honest trade for such meat, and, like genuine fresh eggs or gilt edged butter, he could put on a stiff price and still find a ready market.

Most farmers in this section kill their calves when a day or two old and sell the hides for 60 cents or \$1, according to size and weight, while the mother's milk must go to the pigs for some time, as it is not fit for butter or cheese. Now why not adopt the practice that is beginning to come in vogue here of feeding this milk to calves until fit for use anywhere, then giving warm, sweet skim milk, with a little finely ground grain mixed in as the calf grows older? Soon one will have an animal on hand with a decided market value.

Calves must be kept dry if they are to thrive, and a run on the ground in the open air is as good for them as an occasional tonic is for their owners. My father always fed a little sulphur about once a week, and I never remember his losing a calf with the disease called blackleg. A little salt in the feed once in awhile is also food for them. We turn them out into a dry, well fenced piece of meadow as soon as the weather is warm enough and provide a good shelter from the sun and storm. Unless there can be running water in their quarters it is kept in a trough for them and removed every day. They are well fed, and it is surprising how soon they attain marketable size.

Alfalfa Ensilage.

A late Colorado bulletin of farm notes gives some tests made of alfalfa as an ensilage plant. "One test," says the bulletin, "was made with the alfalfa put in whole as cut in the field, the other with the alfalfa cut to quarter inch pieces, as we cut our corn for ensilage. The whole alfalfa showed a spoiled layer three inches thick on the top and an inch layer around the side nearly all the way down. The ensilage of the bottom and middle was excellent and was greedily eaten by the cows and calves. Its loss in the total weight was 10.7 per cent, but its loss in feeding value was probably a little larger.

"The other silo was filled with cut alfalfa. The next day the silo was covered with two thicknesses of building paper and one of boards and weighted with stone to about 55 pounds per square foot. When covered, the ensilage was hotter than the hand could bear. Two days later the temperature had fallen to 83 degrees F., and in two days more it had fallen to that of the air. The ensilage shrank and settled a good deal. When put in, it contained 33 per cent of dry matter. On opening, the silo showed two inches of spoiled ensilage on top and half an inch on the sides. The spoiled ensilage was 7.3 per cent of the total weight. The loss in dry matter was approximately 10 per cent."

Change in Milking Time.

A New Jersey correspondent of American Agriculturist says that he was unavoidably absent not long ago and left the ten cows that he usually milked when at home to be milked that evening by the boys who milked the others. As they milked the others first and his 45 minutes later, than the usual time they gave their full amount that night, but when he milked the next morning they shrank from one to three pounds each and not quite as much at night, but it took from Thursday morning to Friday night to bring them back to their normal yield as a result of that one change of the persons who did the milking and the variation from the usual hour. The scales in the stable are what tell the story of such mistakes as that, though we learned the same thing years ago when we were away from home overnight and left a man to milk the cows we had been milking. He was as good and careful a milker as we were, but when we counted the quarts and pints sold the next morning we found an average shrinkage of about a pint to the cow. And this happened not once, but several times, in four years.

Improving Poor Fields.

Every season, attempts should be made to improve some portions of the farm so that the soil will show the highest standard of productivity. There are crops which must be raised on every farm which leave the soil much poorer in fertility when they are harvested. Systems of rotation may tend to counteract this evil and keep the general average of the fertility good, but in spite of this there will be a gradual decline unless special efforts are directed toward the improvement of the soil. This can best be done by selecting certain fields or field each year and making a point to raise the standard of fertility of that section. By thus changing off one goes over the whole farm in the course of a few years and makes the soil all of a high standard.

Value of Breeding.

The real dairy farmer demands of every calf that he intends to rear that it be "well born." He is wise enough to understand the value of heredity. He proposes to give the calf, male or female, all the advantage that comes from being well born. He does this because it is to his own advantage. This is not saying that every calf that is well born will turn out a profitable animal.

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Thursday morning arrived in the beautiful dian Pacific depot, al. selves in Montreal, cathedrals. It has a 300,000 and was fou. Frenchman, Jacques called it "Mont Real," which was a very eve. not begin until 1842.

There we had our b. to the Grand Trunk taking a carriage around the city to all ing places. The driv. fast with such an. that I could hardly him.

Some of the magn. ings we saw were: which was very larg. some, built of mar. clock on the four side. —I wish we had one. Anoka. The court Dame street, bank city hall and Chateau Montreal's historic McGill and Laval Victoria and Notre als, David Morrice of the Sacred Heart.

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A TRIP TO MONTREAL.

We started from Minneapolis at 6:30, June 18th, for Maine, via the "Soo" to Montreal. The scenery was very wild and pretty at the Soo. A large English fleet was just coming into the canal and mamma tried to take a picture of the British flag. She did not succeed very well as it was waving so. I did not care much because I like our own flag best. We saw nothing but trees and stumps until we reached the long Victoria bridge crossing the St. Lawrence river, which was covered the last time I went over it.

Thursday morning at 9 a. m., we arrived in the beautiful new Canadian Pacific depot, and found ourselves in Montreal, the city of cathedrals. It has a population of 300,000 and was founded by the Frenchman, Jacques Cartier, who called it "Mont Real." Its history which was a very eventful one, did not begin until 1642.

There we had our baggage taken to the Grand Trunk depot, and taking a carriage were driven around the city to all the interesting places. The driver talked so fast with such an Irish brogue that I could hardly understand him.

Some of the magnificent buildings we saw were the postoffice, which was very large and handsome, built of marble; with a clock on the four sides of its tower—I wish we had one just like it in Anoka. The court house, Notre-Dame street, bank of Montreal, city hall and Chateau Rampeau—Montreal's historical museum, McGill and Laval universities, Victoria and Notre-Dame hospitals, David Morrice hall, Convent of the Sacred Heart, deaf and

dumb and blind institutes, St. Mary's college and Grey Nunnery, with the dear little grey nuns looking like little mice, dressed all in grey.

Among the statues were the obelisk, built in memory of the foundation of the city; Queen Victoria's statue on Victoria square, deMaisonneuve's statue and fountain, the finest in the city; Nelson's column and the statue of Sir John Macdonald, Canada's greatest premier and political leader.

We visited Christ church cathedral, (Gothic) Jesuits' church, St. James cathedral, modeled after the St. Peter's in Rome; and with the statues of the twelve apostles built on one side of it, on top. Then we went into the most beautiful church I was ever in, the Notre Dame cathedral, seating 13000 people, filled with lovely frescoes, Madonnas and noted paintings. As we walked up the dimly lighted aisles, past old men, women and children, kneeling in prayer, and counting their beads, I felt wicked to disturb them as my shoes squeaked so. Coming out of the church and seeing people at the fount of holy water, I felt like dipping my fingers in also, when I remembered that I had been sprinkled with Congregational water in Anoka, when I was four years old. Leaving this church I felt almost as if I had been in Heaven.

Two of the finest hotels are the Windsor and the Queen's. At 8:30 p. m. we said good bye to the quaint old city of Montreal with its narrow streets, magnificent buildings, funny little red dump-carts and black robed priests who wore real skirts.

MARJORIE HAMMONS.

Hughie's Flashed Dressing.

"Hughie is 4 years old and very proud of the fact that he can dress himself in the morning all but the buttons that 'run up and down behind'."

Hughie isn't enough of an acrobat yet to make his small fingers thus do duty between his shoulder blades, so he turns to papa and gets a little bit of help.

One morning Hughie was in a great hurry. He had commenced marshaling an army of tin soldiers overnight and very much wanted to complete his military arrangements. So he hurried into his clothes, and of course they bothered him because he wanted to be quick and grew impatient with them. Garments would get upside down, while the way the arms and legs got mixed was dreadful, so I am afraid it was not a very pleasing face that came to papa for the finishing touches.

"There! Everything is on now," shouted Hughie.

"No, Hughie; I think not," said papa soberly.

Hughie carefully inspected his small person from the tips of his small toes to the deep collar at his neck. He could find nothing wanting.

"You haven't put on your smile yet," said papa, the tiny wrinkles beginning to creep round his eyes. "Put it on, Hughie, and I'll button it up for you."

And, if you will believe me, Hughie began to put it on almost then and there. After that he usually remembered that he couldn't really call himself dressed for the day until he had put a sunny face above his white collar and necktie.

Good For One Season Only.

It is said that hornets never use the same nest for a second season. The hornet is about as vicious an insect as natural law allows, and he probably gets in all the work he desires upon humanity in the course of one season, certain as he is that wherever he locates himself some one will make an effort to dispossess him.

She Hadn't Read It.

A little girl of 4 years, having written a letter consisting simply of waving lines, asked her father to mail it.

"What did you say?" asked papa.

"I don't know," said Rosemond.

"Why, you wrote it!" exclaimed papa.

"Yes, but I did not read it," was the innocent answer.

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WEENTY AND TEENTY AND THEIR SEASHORE KITCHEN



Out in the sand, with the sun for a fire, Weenty and Teenty, to their hearts' desire, Cook patties and cake and puddings and pie, With clamshells for saucepans, and, mother, oh, my! But they taste "licking good," and the trouble we've found is so many would dine that the grub won't go round.

—Good Housekeeping.

When Jimmy Went the Long Way Round

On the day that little Jimmy was a month old baby in his New Hampshire home a letter came from his Uncle James in Canada, who was very glad to hear he had a new nephew.

"But you must not think you are the only ones who have a new baby," he wrote to Jimmy's father and mother, "for Moll, the children's pony, has a fine little black colt, born on the same day. Now, I have a fancy to give him to my namesake, and as soon as he is big enough to travel I'll send him down to your place and let the two youngsters grow up together."

When Jimmy was about a year old, the pony came, and it was not long before they were out in the fields together. It is safe to say that Jimmy was the youngest boy in town with a horse of his own.

Jimmy was a sober little pony, with no bad tricks, and, having been the playmate of Uncle James' children, he was considered quite safe for the baby "to grow up with."

When they were both 5 years old, Jimmy began to ride his pony, and they trotted around the village streets without serious mishap.

Jimmy soon became a great favorite, and when he galloped down the street with Jimmy on his back the children followed, shouting with delight.

In summer, when they were both 7 years old, the family went to the seashore to spend a few months. Jimmy was placed in the baggage car with the trunks, and, being quite a traveled pony, he did not seem to mind it in the least.

Jimmy was full of joy over the white capped waves that rolled up close to them, the piles of wet seaweed full of queer shells, pretty stones and now and then a starfish or a mussel. Jimmy had a small cart into which he had harnessed his pony, and fine times they had driving on the smooth beach.

They spent whole mornings out in the barn playing circus, and Jimmy had to trot round the floor with decorations of all kinds fastened to him, although, as I have said, he was a sober minded pony and did not exactly like to be dressed up for an elephant, a wild tiger, or even a buffalo.

One day Jimmy's mother wanted some postage stamps, and as Jimmy and Jimmy were just starting off she called after them to go to the postoffice before they came back. That was about two miles from the house.

"All right," shouted Jimmy, "We'll be gone a long time, though, for Jimmy's most dead with staying in the barn."

Mother waved goodbye from the piazza while the little team hurried away down through the shady road to the beach, where Jimmy's heels flew over the sands to the postoffice.

There they stopped while the postmaster, who was everybody's friend, gave Jimmy an orange and the pony an apple and wrapping the stamps in a paper buttoned them inside Jimmy's blouse, for, as he said, "You may need both hands to hold that animal of yours!"

Then, business being over, they started to go home "the long way round" through the woods. They had been this way only once before, but Jimmy was sure he knew the way, and it was cool and shady after the hot sunshine on the beach road. The woods were beautiful, and he was in and out of the cart a dozen times getting a great bunch of wild red lilies and ferns for the supper table. After awhile Jimmy became a little drowsy, and he began to nod.

Jimmy felt the reins hang loosely and made up his mind to take life easily. The cushioned seat was soft, and presently Jimmy's head lay down on it, and he went fast asleep.

Every nice bit of clover tempted Jimmy, and he proceeded to make up for the diet of dry hay and oats of the past week.

This method of travel finally brought them to a place where three roads

came together. Straight ahead was the way home, with a guideboard marked "Green Hill Farm," but the eyes that should have read it were shut, and Jimmy's eyes fell on another clump of clover in the left hand road.

This unfortunately was not the way to go and the only way Jimmy was forbidden to take, for the railroad crossed it, with only a warning sign of "Look Out For the Engine When the Whistle Blows!" It was a narrow road, not much used, and after Jimmy had all the lurches he wanted he began to trot again. But Jimmy slept sounder than ever.

They were nearing the railroad cross-



THE CHILDREN FOLLOWED SHOUTING WITH DELIGHT.

ing, and a faraway whistle came to Jimmy's ears, but meant nothing to him, for there were no railroads near the village at home, and he was not much used to them, so he kept on.

There was a short curve beyond the road, and just as the little cart joggled over the track the engine gave a tremendous whistle and swept around the bend. Jimmy and Jimmy both jumped then, and the pony sprang ahead so suddenly that the cart overturned, and Jimmy landed head first in some bushes, more frightened than hurt, although well scratched. Jimmy did not attempt to run.

Before either of them came to his senses the train was far out of sight, and Jimmy was too much bewildered by his sudden awakening in so unexpected a position as standing on his head in a blackberry bush to tell where he was. He sat up and looked about for Jimmy.

When he realized his narrow escape, he was much inclined to cry and forgot entirely what a big boy he was.

Jimmy climbed back into the cart and gathered up the reins. The little team crossed the railroad again and followed the lonely road back to the junction where the wrong path had been taken. The sun had begun to set, and there were deep shadows on either hand. Two miles more were to be traveled still, and it was past supper time when the tired pair turned into the driveway.

Jimmy told his story when they all came out to meet him. His shoulder was lame and his clothes were torn from his fall among the bushes, and mamma could hardly believe the danger was all over.

Papa said, "Let's be thankful it's no worse." But the postmaster said, "Might know that boy would come out all right!"—A. C. T. in Youth's Companion.

Not Without Excitement. "You are not addicted to any kind of athletics, are you?" "Athletics? Gracious, man, I earn a good living for a family of seven."—Detroit Free Press.

Has Helped. "I may not be," the smooth banana said, "The fruit forbid that brought in sorrow's ban; Yet I confess that I have done my share Toward assisting in the fall of man."—Philadelphia Times.

Doing Her Best. Mother—Why, what's baby crying about? Nurse—Please, ma'am, I can't catch flies as fast as he can eat 'em.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Sowing the Turnip. For the fall and winter crop in the north, On the fourteenth day of July Sow your turnips, wet or dry.

In many parts of the northern and middle states tradition fixes the 25th of July as the proper time for sowing flat turnips for winter use. In the middle states turnips are sometimes sown as late as the end of August.

Echoes From the Press. The man who trusts in the Lord and goes a-fishing, leaving his plants to care for themselves, will find that they are unable to fight the battle alone.

If some enterprising queen breeder will get up a "nonswarming" strain, a greater benefit will be conferred upon the beekeeping fraternity than tongue reach. By this improvement all of us, from the red clover fields to the orange blossoms and from buckwheat to sage of the west, will jump for joy.

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Yes or No? "Did she give you her answer in so many words?" "No. One word was quite enough."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Entomologically. The lightning bug is meaner than The meanest specimen of man. While he has wings and flies around, His spouse, the glowworm, crawls the ground.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Of Much More Practical Use. Goodly—What is grander than a man you can trust? Cynicus—One that will trust you.—Boston Traveler.

Extremes. And still we moan in fate's rude clutch, Whatever may befall. Of rain we either get too much Or else get none at all.—Washington Star.

Where the Danger Lies. "I tell you, sir, there is danger in the higher education of women." "Yes—for the uneducated man."—Chicago Post.

Strong In Death. "If you die first," said Mrs. Dear, "You'll wait for me, I know." "Oh, yes; I've always had to, dear, 'Most everywhere we go!"—Philadelphia Press.

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	A. M.	P. M.
Island Pond, leave,	1.50	5.55
Gorham,	3.40	8.10
Gilead,	...	8.29
West Bethel,	...	8.38
BETHEL, arrive,	4.20	8.46
Bryant Pond,	4.34	9.02
South Paris,	5.02	9.32
Lewiston,	6.00	10.30
Portland,	6.40	11.15

TRAINS GOING WEST.

	A. M.	P. M.
Portland, leave,	8.15	1.30
Lewiston,	9.00	2.30
South Paris,	10.00	3.38
Bryant Pond,	10.28	4.20
BETHEL, arrive,	10.46	4.38
West Bethel,	10.54	4.46
Gilead,	11.05	4.57
Gorham,	11.33	5.40
Island Pond,	1.30	7.50

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West Bethel,	7.04	8.30
BETHEL,	7.11	8.25
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South Paris,	7.55	7.45
Lewiston,	8.00	8.15
Portland,	8.15	8.15

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Let parents make it their chief care to build up for their children a sound body, a body capable alike of work and of enjoyment. As soon as a child is old enough to help building up his or her body let him or her take a hand in it. Teach the young that soundness of body and mind is the main thing in life, that without this boon nothing really counts. Give the sound body plenty of exercise, but don't overwork it either in point of enjoyment or in point of business.

If at one time or another you have overworked your body, don't worry about it, but guard against repetition. Repetition leads to bad habits.

Be independent. Don't do things because you see other people do them. Admire courage and practice it. Timidity is hateful.

Don't worry about the enemy from without—bacteria, changes in the weather, etc.—but try to steel your body against their influence. They mustn't be allowed to get in or hurt it.

Remember that it's your own faults that count most.

Don't think that good health comes as a present to you or that you will recover from illness owing to some occult influences. To have and to hold good health you must work for it, strive for it.

If you want the physician to help you, you must help the physician. You must work hand in hand with him.

Don't forget that it's yourself who decides upon soundness and ill health of your body. If you are unwilling to assist your physician, you rob him of the most important factor in medicine.

Don't become a slave to habit.

Let your body and soul live in harmony together.

Know thyself, criticize thyself, punish thyself, if necessary.

How to Make Chili Con Carne.

Cut two pounds of beef in small dice and cut half a pound of onions in slices. Soak two chili peppers in a pint of hot water one hour. Put a slice of bacon cut in dice and a tablespoonful of lard in a frying pan; dredge the beef with flour. Cut the peppers in small bits; put the beef and peppers in the pan after the lard is smoking hot and fry them brown on all sides, shaking the pan frequently to prevent burning. After the beef is well browned add a half pint of tomatoes, fresh or canned, that have been mashed to a pulp. Next add the water in which the chilis were soaked and let the whole simmer for an hour closely covered. Just before serving salt to taste and thicken with a little flour dissolved in cold water.

How to Boil Chicken.

Dress, singe and truss the chicken and flour it well and put a couple of slices of salt pork with an onion cut in halves and a couple of sprigs of parsley inside the chicken or fowl. Put it in a kettle of cold water, enough to just cover up to its depth; add two bay leaves and a lemon. Set the kettle over a slow fire. Cover it tightly and let the water come to a boil, then remove the scum carefully as it rises. After skimming it, add a teaspoonful of salt to the water. Cover the kettle again and let the chicken simmer slowly till quite tender, then serve on a hot platter with an egg cream sauce.

PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:
At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and one. The following matter having been presented for the action thereon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel News a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, and that they may appear at Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of August, A. D. 1901, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

CHARLES R. SHERMAN, late of Upton, deceased; petition for the appointment of E. L. C. Park, as administrator, presented by John P. R. Sherman, brother.

ELIZABETH BESSEY late of Woodstock, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Arthur L. Bessey as administrator with the will annexed, presented by Arthur L. Bessey, son.

ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of Probate.
A true copy—Attest:
ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of CHARLES E. RYERSON, late of Bethel, in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.
June 18th, 1901. Ella M. Ryerson.

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EN ROUTE FOR NOME, ALASKA.

The Experience of a Former Bethel Lady Told By Herself.

Seattle, Wash., May 30.—Well, I am at Seattle; one stage of our journey is completed in safety. We plan to return in October, that is to Frisco, and I think that will seem like home by that time. We started Tuesday evening at seven o'clock. We had a nice trip here. The weather was very favorable, not too hot, but just right. We arrived here to-night (Thursday), at five o'clock, just forty-six hours on the road. It was a beautiful ride. We came past Mt. Shasta, and stopped at Shasta Springs long enough to get a drink of the famous Shasta water, noted for its medicinal value. It sparkles and foams like soda water and tastes of minerals. Oh, it is a beautiful sight! The water gushes out of the rocks and pours down over them, white with foam and sparkle, and in several places the water shoots into the air at least fifty feet, and falls in spray all around. The water is as cold as ice water, and the taste not disagreeable at all.

Old Mt. Shasta is a grand sight, it looms up so tall and white, completely covered with snow, and no trees about you look half way up its sides. Around its base, it is all green and summery, but at the top it is dead winter; and it does look majestic, I can assure you. We had a good chance to see it, for we wound around it for hours, yesterday. The hills and mountains around it are quite considerable, and we went up grade, and up grade till we reached an altitude of 3800 feet above sea level, to reach which, the road just circles around and around the mountains, and Mt. Shasta was first on our right and then on our left. We traveled miles to get over one mile of ground. The scenery was grand all the way up here. We saw Mt. Hood, Mt. Rainier, and Mt. St. Helena.

We have seen some fine farming land in Oregon and Washington. The northern part of Oregon and the southern part of Washington look something like the country in the East, and I should think the crops were not much ahead of those of Maine, perhaps two weeks more advanced.

I wish you could have seen the wild flowers I saw, to-day, as the train came through from Portland, Oregon,—such masses of them, and so pretty. I never saw anything like them before. We reached Portland, 7:45 this morning, waited there fifty minutes. Changed cars there.

We stop here until Saturday, on which day the boat sails at 11 a. m. We expect to reach Nome about June 15. If I am not sick on the trip it will be a very pleasant journey, I am sure.

On the Ocean, June 5.—We got away from Seattle at 1 o'clock on Saturday, June 1. Coming out of the sound of course the water was very smooth. We did not reach the ocean until some time in the night. It came up squally Sunday, and Monday the sea was very rough; so bad that we drifted for about twenty-four hours—did not work the engines, just steered and that was all. Oh! how we did rock. And wasn't everybody sick! But very few people appeared on deck that day.

We have been in no danger at all, but we are not making very fast time. We have a very heavy load: 550 passengers, 30 horses, and 60 tons of freight. The boats that run up here are small, not like the ocean liners, and our load is heavy for the boat, as the crew rounds up to about 100, which is no small addition to the load already mentioned. Mrs. L., the lady with whom I am traveling, and I have one of the two best cabins on the boat. It is large and airy. I have a comfortable bed, sleep well nights, and now that I am over my seasickness, shall enjoy life very well. We have seen nothing yet but water and a few porpoises. We have been out of sight of land since Sunday. Expect to sight land about Saturday, when we reach the pass in the Aleutian Islands. I have been outside, to-day, quite a little, but every place is so crowded that I am about as

comfortable in my bed, where I am writing, as anywhere. The days are all so much alike that it is hard to tell what day of the week it is. I brought an almanac and I am just marking them off as they pass. We are still traveling due west; have set our time back one hour and twenty minutes, so far. We travel west until we get directly south of the pass, when we start north.

Friday Evening, June 7.—I did not write yesterday because it is so crowded everywhere, that I do not have a very good chance. But to-night I came down into the dining room as soon as the tables were cleared, and here I sit, and all around me are people, men, mostly, playing cards—some professional gamblers. I will try to tell you of the few things I have seen. A big whale spouts now and then. Sometimes several are to be seen at a time. About all we can see is the water spouting up in the air. We passed a sailing vessel from San Francisco, yesterday, and we could realize then that we are going quite fast, for we sighted that boat when we could just see the top of the sails, and in three hours it was nearly out of sight in our rear. It came near us and they put off a small row-boat and started to come to us, but we did not stop for them. They were not in distress, and it would have been a loss of time to us. Everybody rushed outside and watched that boat and cheered it as we went past. There was great excitement on shipboard. We are making good time now; the sea is very smooth.

Saturday, June 8.—I left my writing rather suddenly, last night, as some one cried "Land." That is a magic word that brings everyone to their feet. There was a game of faro going on down in the dining hall, also several games of poker, and no end of games of whist, etc., but when they heard the cry, the faro bank disappeared like magic, and everyone rushed outside. A beautiful sight greeted us. It was two large volcanoes quite near each other. Only one is working, but it was near sunset, and we could see the smoke pouring from the peak of that volcano, and being near the setting sun, the combination was grand. I looked at the sun through a glass, just as it was dropping out of sight, and it was a sight I shall always remember. The sun did not set until 8:45, so our days are getting long. I do not know what time it rises. We all hustled into "social hall" as soon as the sun was down and had music on piano; violin, and flute, and some singing, but at ten o'clock the lights are put out, or at least those who have cabins must go to them, for mattresses are then put down on the floors of the dining and social halls. The floors are literally alive with poor, tired humanity.

This morning we had land on both sides of us. We were going through Unimak Pass in the Aleutian Islands. The volcano was out of sight, but on one side was a long line of high gray rocks, and on the other a high mountain, a long line of mountains, in fact. We passed another sailing vessel early this morning, but did not go near it. We are now (10:45) in the Behring Sea. I got up at 5:30 to see the sights. It was a beautiful morning, and did not seem a bit cold, but it seemed to grow colder very suddenly, as soon as we were on this side of the Islands, and it is now very nasty and foggy. It is a decidedly disagreeable day, and we are all crowded into the little social hall, so called, and it is not real comfortable. I ought not to complain, though, for our cabin is warm and opens into social hall, so I can sit in there and see and hear all that is going. If we do not find ice to block our way we expect to reach Nome on Monday, which will be a very quick trip. Everybody is hoping for a clear sea.

Saturday, 7:45 p. m.—Well, we're in the ice. We sighted the first ice about noon, and it has grown thicker and heavier ever since, until now it is quite an ice-field, im-

mense great cakes around us as far as the eye can reach. We are going very slowly and the water is very smooth with no wind, but we can hear and feel the ice grate and grind on the sides of the boat. I do not feel afraid and am not worrying at all, but shall be very glad to get through it. We are now about 500 miles from Nome. The officers think we may find clear water by to-morrow. We are to have an entertainment this evening, consisting of songs, recitations, and instrumental music, quite an elaborate programme. It is foggy and nasty, to-night, but I suppose I shall go to bed and sleep till morning. A gentleman has just been telling me that this is a nice place to be wrecked for we can just jump on one of these cakes of ice and live until we starve to death. Oh! horror! Well, I will tell you some more about it to-morrow. Good-night.

To be continued.

How to Make Banana Shortcake.

Rub three tablespoonfuls of butter with three cups of sifted flour, add one-half a teaspoonful of salt, one of sugar, three teaspoonfuls of baking powder and milk enough to form a soft dough. Bake in two layers in greased pans. Grate the rind of half an orange cut in two crosswise and scoop out the pulp. Rub four bananas through a sieve, add to this the orange rind, pulp and one cupful of sugar and add to this one-half a cupful of thick cream beaten stiff. Spread between the layers and on top and serve with cream or custard.

How to Pot Roast Beef.

Lay a round of beef in a broad, deep pot. Pour in a cupful of boiling water, add two slices of onion, cover closely and cook gently ten minutes to the pound. Transfer to a dripping pan, rub with butter, dredge with flour and brown in a quick oven. Strain and cool the gravy left in the pot, take off the fat, put the gravy into a saucepan, season with pepper, salt and a little kitchen bouquet and thicken with a heaping tablespoonful of brown roux. Boil up once and serve in a gravy boat or pour around the base of the beef.

How to Make Tapioca Jelly.

Put a pint of boiling water into a double boiler and into it stir one-fourth of a cupful of fine tapioca, half a cupful of sugar, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of salt, half a cupful of seeded raisins and a dozen blanched almonds cut in pieces. Stir occasionally, and when the tapioca becomes transparent add flavoring to taste and serve hot with sugar and cream.

How to Cream Parsnips.

Boil tender and slice lengthwise. Put over the fire a "spider" with two tablespoonfuls of butter, add pepper and salt and a little minced parsley. Shake until the mixture boils. Dish the parsnips, add to the sauce three tablespoonfuls of cream in which has been stirred an even tablespoon of flour. Boil up once and pour over the parsnips.

How to Make Maple Syrup Custard.

Make a custard of five well beaten eggs, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of salt, three cups of milk and a generous half cupful of maple syrup. Mix and strain into buttered cups and bake in a pan set in hot water in a slow oven. When the centers are firm, chill the custard, turning from the molds, and serve.

Retention of Placenta.

The placenta should be removed by the hand after the third day, and the parts washed out with one part of carbolic acid to 50 of soft water. It is not likely the cow will be so affected the following year.

Lung Fever in Calves.

Give each calf a teaspoonful compound syrup of squills and one ounce liquor acetate of ammonia at a dose three times a day in one-half pint of water.

The Play.

Henry J. Byron, one of the wittiest of English playwrights of a score of years ago, remarked on one occasion: "A play is like a cigar. If it's good, everybody wants a box; if it's bad, all the puffing in the world won't make it go."

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Notice.

I have given unto my sons, Ivan L. Stowe and Erie Q. Stowe, their time from this date, and they have full authority to contract for themselves but I shall pay no bills of their contracting, nor be liable for or on account of them in any manner.
3w11 LEROY S. STOWE.
Newry, Me., Aug. 5, 1901.

FARM BUTTER MAKING.

Details to Be Observed to Secure the Best Results.

The ability to make good butter is worth money to a farmer and his family in these days, when so much inferior quality is on the market, says an Ohio farmer's wife in National Stockman.

I will omit saying anything about the way the stable should be cleaned or how the milking should be done. As I have never been able to detect any barnyard odor in either milk or butter I will leave that for the scientific dairyman to write about. In selecting milk pails get the very best heavy tin (not those with double bottoms), see that every seam is well soldered over and perfectly smooth and even, and there will be no chance for filth to gather. I have seen milk pails that had a yellow sediment along every seam. In washing pails look well to the seams and see that they are kept perfectly clean. The strainer pail needs special attention. After it is washed take a nail brush, one that is kept for this purpose, and some coarse salt and thoroughly brush the strainer several times a week if necessary. After washing and scalding the pails and cans, or crocks and pans, wipe dry and set in the sunshine and fresh air right side up. This is one point I wish to call particular attention to—right side up. Then they will be sunned inside, where it is required. It is a great mistake to turn them upside down on a table or picket fence as so many do, for hot air rises and has no way of escape, but condenses in the vessels and causes bad odors. Much of the milk is tainted by handling the milk utensils in an improper and careless manner.

We have four shotgun cans to cool the cream in after it comes from the separator and three large creamery cans to ripen the cream in. After these cans are emptied they are first rinsed with cold water and the washed with hot water and wiped dry and then scalded with boiling water and set out, doors, summer and winter, to be thoroughly aired. They are left outdoors until wanted, then they are again scalded with boiling hot water and rinsed with cold water.

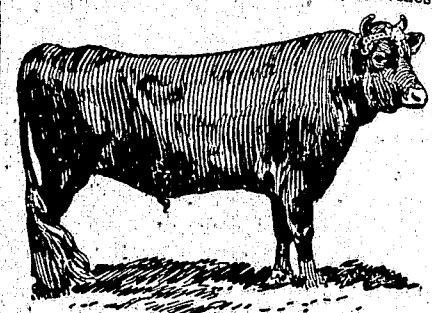
Since I have adopted this precaution our butter is perfectly sweet and sells as "glit eed butter" in any market. I have never had one pound brought back, but have never been able to supply the demand. In keeping a quantity of cream cans you can give them the proper airing which they must have if one expects to make butter that commands a high price.

We keep the cream out of the cellar. Only in extreme warm weather do we keep it in the cellar. Where one has ice the better way to keep the cream is to set it in ice water until you have enough for a churning, then pour the cream

into a well aired can and put in a starter. About one tablespoonful of sour milk or buttermilk to a gallon of cream is sufficient at this season of the year. Let stand until lapped, then churn at 65 degrees if Jersey cream; if Short-horn cream, at 62 degrees. Should the cream be too cold, add warm water until the right temperature and if too warm add cold water. Stir the cream while adding water. The churn should be same temperature as the cream.

Prize Winning Jersey Bull.

The Jersey bull Dewey (3522), the property of the Duke of Marlborough, Blenheim Home Farm, Woodstock, England, was calved on Aug. 2, 1898, and was bred by Mr. P. F. Allen, Jersey, his sire being Reminder (2419), dam Etna (7293). He has won the following prizes: In 1899, second, Tring, show; at Tring; 1900, second, Oxfordshire, Oxford; first, Wiltshire, Devizes;



JERSEY BULL DEWEY.

first, Bath and West, Bath; second, Royal counties, Winchester; 1st, Royal, York; 1st, Norfolk, Downham Market; first Gloucestershire, Gloucester; 1901, second, Oxfordshire, Thame; first, Bath and West, Croydon; first, Royal Counties, Weymouth. Dewey's sire, Reminder (2419), is also sire of Perry Farm Reminder, first prize 2-year-old bull at the Bath and West show at Croydon.

Clover Bloat.

Clover bloat can always be prevented by keeping the cattle off the clover while it is wet with rain or dew, says Prairie Farmer. The usual cause of death when an animal is bloated is congestion of the lungs from pressure of the stomach against them. The flesh of such animal should be darker in color from the stoppage of blood in the small vessels than the flesh of an animal butchered, but I do not believe it would poison any one to eat the flesh of such animals. The best remedy for clover bloat is to make an opening in the upper part of the left flank with a pocketknife and thrust the fingers into the opening. Then the gas will escape at the sides of the finger. Or use some hollow tube to put into the opening.

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THE NEWS

ITEMS OF INTEREST

BY THE NEWS

Miss Dearing is visiting at F. J. Kins'.

Mr. Geo. E. Kins is at his home in Bethel.

Mrs. Harry Smith is visiting at F. J. Kins'.

Miss Grace Stone is visiting at Moses'.

Mrs. E. B. Douglass is in town for the Misses Wig.

The Misses Wig are at their home in Boston.

A. R. Haynes and his wife are visiting at F. J. Kins'.

Miss Theo Green is as stenographer at F. J. Kins'.

Mrs. C. A. Stearns is visiting at F. J. Kins'.

Mr. Irving Clark is in town for a visit.

Miss Sadie Wood is visiting at E. J. Kins'.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Royes are guests of Mrs. J. A. Royes.

Judge and Mrs. J. A. Royes and daughter Mary Bluehill, over Sunday.

Miss Ayer of Portland is visiting at F. J. Kins'.

Mr. John Stowell is visiting at F. J. Kins'.

Miss Florence Rice is visiting at F. J. Kins'.

Miss Edna Brick is visiting at F. J. Kins'.

Florence Woodbury is visiting at F. J. Kins'.

A. H. Hutchins is visiting at F. J. Kins'.

The reunion of the fantry Association at F. J. Kins'.

Miss Joan Stearns is visiting at F. J. Kins'.

Mrs. W. S. Child is visiting at F. J. Kins'.

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